

**AZAD GOVT. OF THE STATE OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
LAW & PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS SECRETARIAT,
MUZAFFARABAD.**

Dated the April 20, 1976

No. 1502/SL/76. The following Act of the Legislative Assembly received the assent of the President on the 18th April, 1976, and is hereby published for general information:-

(ACT IV OF 1976)

An Act to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) Ordinance, 1970

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) Ordinance, 1970 (Ordinance X of 1970), in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Act, 1976.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Amendment of section 53, Ordinance X of 1970.**- In Section 53, of Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) Ordinance, 1970 (Ordinance X of 1970) for sub-section (2), the following shall be substituted, namely :-

“(2) A Tribunal shall consist of a person, who is a District and sessions Judge or is qualified to be appointed as Judge of the High Court.”

Sd/-
(Sardar Aftab Ahmad Khan)
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