

**AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
LAW, JUSTICE AND PARLTAMENTARY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT,
MUZAFFARABAD**

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No. LD/ Legis/1134-43/2007. The following Act of Assembly received the assent of the President on 22nd day of September, 2007, is hereby published for general information.

(ACT XII OF 2007)

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ACT**

further to amend the Azad Jammu & Kashmir Grant of Khalsa Waste Land as Shamilat-e-Deh Act, 1966

WHEREAS, it is expedient to give control and management of Shamilat Deh land to Revenue Department instead of union councils:

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and Commencement :-** (1) This Act may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Grant of Khalsa Waste Land as Shamilat-e-Deh (Amendment) Act, 2006.
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Section 3, (Act I of 1966).**- In the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Grant of Khalsa Waste Land as Shamilat-e-Deh Act, 1966 (Act I of 1966) hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in Section 3,-
 - (i) in clauses (b) and (h), the words and figures “Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887” occurring twice shall be substituted by the words and figures “The West Pakistan Land Revenue Act, 1967”
 - (ii) clause (j) shall be deleted.
3. **Amendment of Section 4, (Act I of 1966).**-In the said Act, in sub-section (3) of Section 4 both of the provisos shall be deleted.
4. **Amendment of Section 5, (Act I of 1966).**-In the said Act, in Section 5.-
 - (i) for the existing sub-section (3) following shall be substituted:-

“(3) Twenty percent of the total Shamilat areas in an estate shall be reserved for common purposes of the villagers and five percent shall be kept for destitute to regularize the nautors, if any, made by them. Otherwise it shall remain under the control and management of the

Revenue Department if there is no destitute or till it is properly made over to the destitutes. The remaining seventy five percent area may be used by the land owners for plantation with in the limit of their respective share to be determined by the revenue officers of the rank not below than a Tehsildar.

- (ii) in sub-section (13), the figure “200/-” shall be substituted by the figure “5000/-”

5. **Amendment of Section 5, (Act I of 1966).**-In the said Act, in sub-section (1) of Section 7, for the words “any land in a forest” the words “any shamilat or Khalsa Land or land in a forest” shall be substituted.

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