

**AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR,
LAW AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT
MUZAFFARBAD.**

Dated: 9th March, 1986.

No. 366/LD/Leg (A)/86. The following Act of the Assembly received the assent of the President on 5th day of March, 1986, is hereby published for general information.

(ACT X OF 1986)

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ACT

to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Ministers (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) Act, 1975

WHEREAS it is necessary to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Ministers (Salaries, Allowance and Privileges) Act, 1975 (Act XVIII of 1975) for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and Commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called Azad Jammu and Kashmir Ministers (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) (Amendment) Act, 1986
(2) It shall come into force at once and shall be deemed to have taken effect on the 16th day of June, 1985.
2. **Amendment of Section 3, Act XVIII of 1975.**- In the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Ministers (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) Act, 1975, (Act XVIII of 1975) hereinafter referred to as the said Act, for Section 3, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
“3. **Salary.**- The Salary of the Prime Minister and that of a Minister shall respectively be six thousand rupees and five thousand rupees per mensem.”
3. **Amendment of Section 4, Act XVIII of 1975.** In the said Act, for Section 4, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
“4. **Equipment Allowance.**- The Prime Ministers and a Minister may draw a sum of three thousand rupees and five hundred rupees and three thousand rupees respectively as equipment allowance on their appointment as such:
Provided that no such allowance was received by him during the life time of the Assembly on appointment as a President, Speaker, Prime Minister or a Minister.”

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4. **Amendment of Section 6, Act XVIII of 1975.** In the said Act, in Section 6.-
- (i) in sub-section (1), for the words “two thousand” the words “four thousand” shall be substituted;
 - (ii) in subsection (2), for the words “fifteen hundred” the words “three thousand” shall be substituted.”
5. **Amendment of Section 8, Act XVIII of 1975.** In the said Act, in Section 8.-
- (a) for sub-section (1) the following shall be substituted, namely.-
 - “(1) A Minister shall be entitled without payment of rent, to the use of an official residence including accommodation on tour throughout his term of office, and for a period of fifteen days immediately thereafter, and the charges for its maintenance including the electricity and gas charges shall be borne by Government. The residence shall be furnished by Government at a cost not exceeding rupees one lac in case of a building reserved for this purpose at the first term and rupees sixty thousand for any subsequent term.”
 - (b) in subsection (2) for the words “four thousand” the words “eight thousand” shall be substituted; and
 - (c) in subsection (3) for the figures “4,000/-” the words “eight thousand rupees” shall be substituted.
6. **Amendment of Section 11, Act XVIII of 1975.-** In the said Act, in Section 11, for the words “one hundred” the words “one hundred and twenty five” shall be substituted.
7. **Amendment of Section 15, Act XVIII of 1975.-** In the said Act, in Section 15, for sub-section (2) the following shall be substituted.
- “(2) the leave allowance of the Prime Minister and a Minister shall respectively be six thousand rupees and five thousand rupees per mensem”
8. **Amendment of Section 21, Act XVIII of 1975.-** In the said Act, in Section 21, for the figures “40,000/- and “7,500/- the words “one lac” and “fifty thousand” shall be substituted.
9. **Repeals.-** The Azad Jammu and Kashmir Ministers (Salaries, Allowance and Privileges) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1985 (Ordinance CXCIV of 1985) is hereby repealed.

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