

**AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR  
LAW, JUSTICE, PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND HUMAN RIGHTS  
DEPARTMENT MUZAFFARABAD**

Dated: 15th May, 2017

No. LD/Legis-Act/348-358/2017. The following Act of Assembly received the assent of the President on the 10th day of May 2017, is hereby published for general information.

**(ACT XXVI OF 2017)**

**An  
Act**

to amend the Power Development Organization Act, 2014.

WHEREAS, it is expedient to amend the Power Development Organization Act, 2014 (Act XXI of 2014), in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and Commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called the Power Development Organization (Amendment) Act, 2017.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Amendment of Section 4, Act XXI of 2014.**-In the Power Development Organization Act, 2014 (Act XXI of 2014), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in Section 4, sub-section (2) shall be substituted as under:-

“(2) The Board shall consist of the following:

(i)	Prime Minister	Chairman
(ii)	Chief Secretary	Member
(iii)	Additional Chief Secretary (Dev.)	Member
(iv)	Secretary Finance	Member
(v)	Secretary ED/PDO	Member
(vi)	Managing Director	Member
(vii)	Director General	Member/ Secretary Board
(viii)	Representative of PP & IB (GoP)	Member
(ix)	One member to be nominated by the Government from the Private Sector	Member
(x)	One member to be co-opted by the Prime Minister from private sector	Member”

3. **Amendment of Section 9, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, in Section 9, the sub-section (2) shall be substituted as under:-  
“(2) The Chairman, or in his absence a Member authorized by the Chairman, shall preside over the meeting and five other Members shall constitute the quorum at meeting of the Board.”
4. **Amendment of Section 15, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, in Section 15, in sub-section (1), for the word “Ordinance”, the word “Act”, shall be substituted.
5. **Repeal.**- The Power Development Organization (Amendment) Ordinance, 2017 (Ordinance V of 2017) is hereby repealed.

Sd/-  
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