

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

Dated: 8th January, 2020

No. LD/Legis-Act/1-12/2020. The following Act of Assembly received the assent of the President on the 3rd day of January 2020, is hereby published for general information.

**(ACT I OF 2020)**

**An  
Act**

further to amend the Power Development Organization Act, 2014

WHEREAS, it is expedient further 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, 2019.  
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Section 2, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the Power Development Organization Act, 2014 (Act XXI of 2014), hereinafter to as the said Act, in Section 2, after clause (iv) a new clause (iv-a) shall be added as under:-  
“(iv-a) ‘Vice Chairman’ means the Vice Chairman of the Board;”
3. **Amendment of Section 4, Act XXI of 2014.**- In 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)	Minister Incharge	Vice Chairman
(iii)	Chief Secretary	Member
(iv)	Additional Chief Secretary (Dev.)	Member
(v)	Senior Member Board of Revenue	Member
(vi)	Secretary Finance	Member
(vii)	Secretary ED/PDO	Member
(viii)	Secretary to Government to be nominated by the Government	Member

(ix)	Secretary Board	Member/Secretary
(x)	Managing Director	Member
(xi)	Director General	Member
(xii)	Representative of PP & IB (GoP)	Member
(xiii)	One member to be nominated by the Government from the Private Sector	Member
(xiv)	One member to be co-opted by the Prime Minister from private sector	Member”

4. **Amendment of Section 9, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, in Section 9, sub-section (2), shall be substituted as under:-

“(2) The Chairman, or in his absence Vice Chairman shall preside over the meeting and seven other members shall constitute the quorum at the meeting of the Board.”

Sd/-  
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