

**AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
LAW AND PARLTAMENTARY AFFAIRS SECRETARIAT,
MUZAFFARABAD.**

Dated the 27th November, 1985

No. 2302/LD/Leg(A)/85. The following Act of the Assembly received the assent of the President on 25th day of November, 1985, is hereby published for general information:-

(ACT XXXIII OF 1985)

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to amend the Rehabilitation Act, 1956.

WHEREAS it is necessary to amend the Rehabilitation Act, 1956 (Act XVII of 1956);

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and Commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called the Rehabilitation (Amendment) Act, 1985.
(2) It shall come into force at once and shall be deemed to have taken effect on and from 12th day of January, 1959.
2. **Amendment of Section 2, Act XVII of 1956.**- In the Pakistan Rehabilitation Act, 1956 (Act XVII of 1956) as adapted in Azad Jammu and Kashmir, hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in Section 2, for sub-section (10) the following shall be substituted and shall be deemed always to have been so substituted, namely:-
“(10) “Rehabilitation Authority” means any Rehabilitation Board, Rehabilitation Commissioner, Additional Rehabilitation Commissioner, Deputy Rehabilitation Commissioner, Additional Deputy Rehabilitation Commissioner or Assistant Rehabilitation Commissioner, appointed under this Act, or any other officer appointed under any law for the time being in force relating to the Rehabilitation of refugees or social and economic rehabilitation in Azad Jammu and Kashmir.”
3. **Amendment of Section 3, Act XVII of 1956.**- In the said Act, in section 3 the words and commas “by notification in official Gazette,” shall be deleted:
Provided that this amendment shall not apply for future cases.
4. **Amendment of Section 11, Act XVII of 1956.**- In the said Act, in section 11 after clause (b) of sub-section (1) the fullstop shall be omitted and thereafter the following shall be added, namely:-
“Additional Deputy Rehabilitation Commissioner.”

Sd/-

(Syed Shakir Shah)
Section Officer Legislation