

**AZAD GOVT. OF THE STATE OF JAMMU & KASHMIR,  
LAW SECRETARIAT, MUZAFFARABAD.**

Dated the September 24, 1977.

No. 2642-43/SL/77. The following Ordinance made by the President on 23rd day of September, 1977, is hereby published for general information .

**(ORDINANCE XIV of 1977)**

AN ORDINANCE further to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) Ordinance, 1970

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) Ordinance, 1970 (Ordinance X of 1970) for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

AND WHEREAS the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (I) of Section 41 of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Interim Constitution Act, 1974, the President is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:-

1. **Short title and commencement.-** (1) This Ordinance may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Ordinance, 1977.  
(2) It shall come into force at once and shall be deemed to have taken effect on and from the 1st day of August, 1977.
2. **Amendment of Section 92, Ordinance X of 1970.-** In the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly (Elections) Ordinance, 1970 (Ordinance X of 1970), in Section 92, for clause (b), the following shall be substituted, namely :-  
"(b) revise an order passed by an officer under this Ordinance, or the rules, including rejection of Ballot Papers; and".

Sd/-  
(Mohammad Ibrahim Khan)  
President,  
Azad Jammu and Kashmir.

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Sd/-  
(Mohammad Akram Shah)  
Deputy Secretary  
Law & Parliamentary Affairs Secretariat  
Government of the State of Jammu & Kashmir  
Muzaffarabad.