

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

Dated the 12, July, 1979.

No. 3380/SL/79. The following Ordinance made by the President on the 10th day of July, 1979, is hereby published for general information:-

(ORDINANCE XC OF 1979)

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ORDINANCE

to amend the Drugs Act (Adaptation) Ordinance, 1979

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Drugs Act (Adaptaion) Ordinance 1979 (Ordinance LVII of 1979) in the manner 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 (1) 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, extent and commencement.**- (1) This Ordinance may be called the Drugs Act (Amendment) Ordinance, 1979.
 - (2) It extends to the whole of Azad Jammu and Kashmir.
 - (3) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Insertion of new Section 2-A in Ordinance LVII of 1979.**- In the said Ordinance, after Section 2, the following new Section 2-A shall be inserted, namely :-

"2-A. Licences, etc., issued in Pakistan.

- (1) The Drug manufacturing Licences issued and the registration of drugs made by the Government of Pakistan under the Drugs Act, 1976 (XXXI of 1976), of Pakistan shall be deemed to have been issued and made by the Government of Azad Jammu and Kashmir for the territory of Azad Jammu and Kashmir subject to the

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same conditions, including prices, as are prescribed by the Central Licensing Board, the Registration Board and the Appellate Board under the said Act.

(2) The Central Licensing Board, the Registration Board and the Appellate Board constituted by the Government of Pakistan under the said Act shall, in respect of issue of licences and registration of drugs, have and exercise in the territory of Azad Jammu and Kashmir the same jurisdiction and powers as they do in Pakistan.

(Brigadier Mohammad Hayat Khan)
President
Azad Jammu and Kashmir
Sd/- (Khalil Ahmed Qureshi)
Secretary Law