

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

Dated the January 16, 1980.

No. 403/SL/80. The following Ordinance made by the President on the 15th day of January, 1980, is hereby published for general information:-

(ORDINANCE IX OF 1980)

AN

ORDINANCE

to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1971

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1971, 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 and Commencement.-** (1) This Ordinance may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Ordinance, 1980.
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Section 67, Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1971.-** In the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1971, hereinafter referred to as the said Ordinance, in Section 67, in sub-section (1), in clause (a) for the words 'Rupees eight thousand' the words 'Rupees sixteen thousand' shall be substituted.
3. **Amendment of Sixth Schedule to Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1971.-** In the said Ordinance, in the sixth Schedule, after the full-stop at the end the following shall be added, namely:-
"The numbers for the purposes of the registration mark shall be assigned in series which shall be from figure 1 to the figure 9999, When this series is exhausted, the next series shall be from 1 to 9999 preceded by the letter 'A', when the second series is also exhausted, the next series shall be from 1 to 9999 preceded

by letter 'B' and so on. The registration mark shall be shown in the following manner :-

- (a) In the case of Transport Vehicles In black on white ground.
- (b) In the case of temporary Registration..... In red on yellow ground.
- (c) In the case of registration marks allotted to dealers..... In white on red ground.
- (d) In other cases In white on black ground.

4. **Substitution of the Eleventh Schedule to Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1971:-** In the said Ordinance, for the eleventh Schedule, the following shall be substituted, namely :-

“THE ELEVENTH SCHEDULE

(See Section 67)

Scale of compensation payable on injury to a passenger in a stage carriage or contract carriage:-

	Rs
1. Death.	16,000
2. Loss of right arm above or at the elbow.	5,000
3. Loss of left arm above or at the elbow. ...	4,000
4. Loss of right arm below the elbow. ..	4,000
5. Loss of leg at or above the knee. ..	5,000
6. Loss of left arm below the elbow. ..	3,000
7. Loss of leg below the knee.	5,000
8. Loss of both leges.	10,000
9. Permanent loss of hearing.	5,000
10. Loss of one eye.	6,000
11. Loss of both eyes.	10,000
12. Loss of thumb.	3,200
13. Loss of all toes of one foot.	4,000
14. Loss of index finger	3,200
15. Loss of great toes.	3,000

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16.	Loss of any finger other than index finger	3,000
17.	Permanent disfiguration of the face or head	4,000
18.	Fracture or dislocation of a bone. ..	3,000
19.	Emasculation.	4,000
20.	Loss of one or more teeth . ..	1,000
21.	Any injury which endangers life or which causes the sufferer to be during the space of twenty days, sever bodily pain, or renders him unable to follow his ordinary pursuit.	2,000
22.	Medical expenses for an injury not specified in this Schedule	Actual expenses certified by the Medical Officer.

N.B. Maximum compensation payable for more than one injury shall be limited to Rs. 10,000”

5. **Savings.-** Notwithstanding any judgment, decree or order of any court including High Court, every thing done, all actions taken, notifications issued, orders or appointments made, proceedings initiated, jurisdiction or powers exercise under the provisions of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Ordinance, 1978 (Ordinance XXXI of 1978) or its succeeding Ordinances issued from time to time shall be deemed to have been validly done, taken, issued, made, initiated or exercised under this Ordinance.

(Mohammad Hayat Khan)
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Azad Jammu & Kashmir.
Sd/-(Syed Mohammad Akram Shah)
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