

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

Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 1983.

No. 1466/LD/83. The following Ordinance made by the President on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 1983, is hereby published for general information:-

**(ORDINANCE CCLII of 1983)**

**AN  
ORDINANCE**

further to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Civil Servants Act, 1976.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Civil Servants Act, 1976 (Act VI of 1976) 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 Civil Servants Act (Amendment) Ordinance, 1983.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Amendment of Section 12, Act VI of 1976.**- In the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Civil Servants Act, 1976, (Act VI of 1976), for the existing section 12, the following shall be substituted.-

**“12, Retirement from service.**- A civil servant shall retire from service:- In case of a person holding a post equivalent to the post of Additional Secretary to Government of Pakistan or a higher post, on such date as the competent authority, may in the public interest direct;

(ii) In any other case, on such date after he has completed twenty five years of service qualifying for pension or other retirement benefits, as the competent authority may, in the public interest, direct ; or

(iii) where no direction is given under clause (i) or clause (ii), on the completion of Sixtieth year of his age.

**Explanation.**- In this section “competent authority” means the appointing authority or a person duly authorised by the

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appointing authority in that behalf not being a person lower in rank to the civil servant concerned.”

3. A Judge of Superior Court shall wear, while he is attending sittings of the Court, a black sherwani without bands White, shirt, with turn-down collar and black tie white trousers, in the Summer, and in the Winter, trousers of material in the deeper shades of a gray and a black gown.”

Sd/-(Major General (Retd) Abdul Rehman Khan)  
President,  
Azad Jammu And Kashmir.  
Sd/- (Khalil Ahmed Qureshi) Secretary Law