

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

Dated the March 31, 1980.

No. 18I9/LD/80. The following Ordinance made by the President on the 30th day of March, 1980, is hereby published for general information;-

(ORDINANCE LIII OF 1980)

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ORDINANCE

to make certain adaptation in the Pakistan Army Act, 1952 (XXXIX of 1952), as in force in Azad Jammu and Kashmir

WHEREAS it is expedient to make certain adaptation in the Pakistan Army Act, 1952 (XXXIX of 1952) as in force in Azad Jammu Kashmir by virtue of Azad Jammu and Kashmir by adaptation of Law Order 1956 (Council Order 43 of 1956) ;

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 Pakistan Army Act (Adaptation of Amendments) Ordinance, 1980.
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.
 - (3) It extends to the whole of Azad Jammu and Kashmir.
2. **Adaptation of Amendments in the Pakistan Army Act, 1952.-**
 - (1) The amendments made in the Pakistan Army Act, 1952 (XXXIX of 1952) as in force in Pakistan at any time on or after 6th day of February, 1956, but before the commencement of this Ordinance, shall also be deemed to have been made at the same time in the said Act as in force in Azad Jammu and Kashmir by virtue of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Adaptation of Law order 1956 (Council Order No. 43/56).
 - (2) As soon as amendment is made, at any time on or after the commencement of this Ordinance, in the Pakistan Army Act, 1952 (XXXIX of 1952), as in force in Pakistan, the said Act as in force in Azad Jammu and Kashmir, shall stand amended to the same extent and in the same manner.

3. **Savings.**- Notwithstanding any judgment, decree or order of any court including High Court, every thing done, all action taken, notifications issued, order or appointments made, proceedings initiated, jurisdiction or powers exercised under the provisions of the Pakistan Army Act (Adaptations of amendments) Ordinance, 1979 (Ordinance XCIX of 1979) 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)
President
Azad Jammu & Kashmir

Sd/-
(Khalil Ahmed Qureshi)
Secretary Law