

Volume X (1994-2000)  
**AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR**  
**LAW AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT**  
**MUZAFFARABAD**

Dated the 10<sup>th</sup> November, 1994

No. 719-23/LD/94. The following Ordinance made by the President on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Nov, 1994, is hereby published for general information:-

**(ORDINANCE XXXVII OF 1994)**

**AN**  
**ORDINANCE**

to amend the Notaries Act, 1985

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to amend the Notaries Act, 1985 (Act XXVI of 1985), for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

**AND WHEREAS** the Legislative Assembly is not in session and 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 Notaries (Amendment) Ordinance, 1994.  
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Section 3, Act XXVI of 1985.**- In the Notaries Act, 1985, (Act XXVI of 1985), in Section 3, for sub-section (2) the following shall be substituted, namely:-  
“(2) There shall be fifteen notaries at Capital Headquarter, twelve at Divisional, ten at District Headquarters and six in each Sub-Divisional Headquarter.”

Sd/- (Sardar Sikandar Hayat Khan)  
President  
Azad Jammu and Kashmir  
-----