

قانون ساز اسمبلی آزاد جموں و کشمیر

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سورج 29 اپریل 2026ء بروز بدھ بوقت 02:00 بجے دن منعقد ہونے والے قانون ساز اسمبلی آزاد جموں و کشمیر کے اجلاس کی ترتیب کارروائی۔

﴿ تلاوت قرآن حکیم و نعت رسول مقبول ﷺ ﴾

قاری اسمبلی تلاوت قرآن حکیم اور اسکا وتر پڑھ کر نعت خواں اسمبلی بارگاہ رسالت مآب خاتم النبیین ﷺ میں ہدیہ نعت پیش کریں گے۔

﴿ حصہ اول ﴾

﴿ سوالات ﴾

علیحدہ فہرست میں مندرج سوالات دریافت کیے جائیں گے اور ان کے جوابات دیئے جائیں گے۔

﴿ حصہ دوم ﴾

﴿ مسودات قوانین ﴾

1- مسودہ قانون:-

The Power Development Organization (Amendment) Ordinance, 2026.

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مجلس منتخبہ کے سپرد کیا جائے۔

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﴿ حصہ سوئم ﴾

﴿ قرارداد ﴾

1- قرارداد منجانب جناب چوہدری محمد یاسین ایم ایل اے۔

امریکہ اسرائیل کا ایران پر حملہ درحقیقت تیسری عالمی جنگ کا موجب بن سکتا تھا۔ دنیا تباہی کے دبانے پر تھی ایسے میں پاکستان کا کردار قابل فخر اور بہترین ثالث کا نظر آیا۔ یہ اجلاس سمجھتا ہے کہ پاکستان نے اس جنگ کو روکنے کے لیے تاریخ ساز کردار ادا کیا۔ بالخصوص فیلڈ مارشل چیف آف ایف ایف فورسز جنرل عامر منیر، صدر پاکستان آصف علی زرداری اور وزیر اعظم پاکستان محمد شہباز شریف نے جس خلوص اور یکجہتی کے ساتھ سیز فائر یقینی بنایا۔ اس پر یہ ایوان ان کو خراج تحسین پیش کرتا ہے۔

یہ اجلاس سمجھتا ہے کہ پاکستان نے اس جنگ کو روکنے اور امریکہ اور ایران کو مذاکرات کی میز پر لاکر ایک لافانی کردار ادا کیا۔

یہ اجلاس سمجھتا ہے کہ تالش کے اس کردار نے دنیا بھر میں پاکستان کا وقار نہ صرف بلند کیا ہے بلکہ دنیا میں ایک معتبر اور با اعتماد ثالث کار بن کر ابھرا ہے۔ یہ اجلاس اس سفارت کاری اور ثالث کاری کے تمام کرداروں کو سلام پیش کرتا ہے۔

28.11.2026
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منظر آہا۔
128 اپریل 2026ء

الحرمات مبارک۔

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مورچہ 129 اپریل 2026ء بروز بدھ بوقت 02:00 بجے دن منعقد ہونے والے قانون ساز اسمبلی آزاد جسوں و کشمیر کے اجلاس میں دریافت کیے جانے والے سوالات اور ان کے جوابات۔

قلیل المہلت سوال نمبر 220

اظہر صادق

ایم ایل اے

کیا وزیر منصوبہ بندی و ترقیات وضاحت فرمائیں گے کہ:-

- (الف) رواں مالی سال کے 3rd اور 4th کوارٹر میں ٹکڑے مالیات سے حکومت کو کتنی گرانٹ موصول ہوئی ہے؟
(ب) تاریخ وصولی سے تا امر روز کتنے ٹکڑے جات کے لئے کتنی رقم واگزار کی گئی؟ ٹکڑے واگزار تفصیل مہیا کی جائے۔

جواب

- (الف) رواں مالی سال 2025-26ء میں ترقیاتی اخراجات کے لیے پہلی سہ ماہی میں مبلغ 3 ارب روپے کم اگست 2025ء کو فراہم کیے گئے تھے۔ (کاپی نوٹیفکیشن بطور ضمیرہ "الف" "الف" ہے) جبکہ رواں مالی سال کی دوسری اور تیسری سہ ماہی میں ٹکڑے مالیات کی جانب سے تاحال مزید کوئی گرانٹ موصول نہیں ہوئی۔ مزید برآں چوتھی سہ ماہی کا آغاز یکم اپریل 2026ء سے ہوگا۔
(ب) ٹکڑے مالیات کی جانب سے پہلی سہ ماہی میں موصول شدہ گرانٹ کے خلاف درج ذیل ٹکڑے جات کو فنڈز کی اجراء تکلیف کی گئی۔

نمبر شمار	ٹکڑے	واگزار شدہ رقم (ملین روپے)
1	شاہرات	2400
2	لوکل گورنمنٹ و دیہی ترقی	500
3	AJK TEVTA	100
	کل میزانیہ	3000

قلیل المہلت سوال نمبر 223

خواجہ فاروق احمد

ایم ایل اے

کیا وزیر تعلیم سکولز وضاحت فرمائیں گے کہ:-

- (الف) کیا وفاقی حکومت نے مزید ایک وائٹ سکول مظفر آباد دارالحکومت کے لیے منظور کیا ہے؟
(ب) اگر جواب اثبات میں ہے تو دارالحکومت مظفر آباد میں کب تک اس مجوزہ وائٹ سکول کی Opening ہو جائے گی؟

قلیل المہلت سوال نمبر 225

خواجہ فاروق احمد

ایم ایل اے

کیا وزیر صحت ماس وضاحت فرمائیں گے کہ:-

- (الف) کیا یہ درست ہے کہ حکومت نے کینسر کی ادویات میا کرنے والی کمپنی Novartis کے ساتھ معاہدہ کیا تھا جو کہ جون 2025ء میں ختم ہوا؟
(ب) کیا یہ بھی درست ہے کہ Tasigma نام کی Tab جو بہت مہنگی ہیں اور ان Tab کی مالیت انھوں روپے ہیں، جس کی خرید کسی بھی مریض کی بساط میں نہیں ہے؟

- (ب) کیا یہ بھی درست ہے کہ آزاد کشمیر کے پانچوں لوگ PIMS اور دوسرے ایجنسیوں میں چکر لگا رہے ہیں لیکن کئی نے ادویات کی فراہمی سے صاف انکار کر دیا ہے جس کی وجہ سے کئی کے مریض زہریلے علاج سے مر رہے ہیں؟
- (د) اگر جواب "الف" میں "ب" کا جواب اثبات میں ہو تو کیا حکومت مذکورہ 11 کئی کے ساتھ 10 پارہ "جاہد" کے لئے کارآمد رکھتی ہے؟ اگر رکھتی ہے تو کب تک؟

قلیل المسہلت سوال نمبر 229

راجہ محمد فاروق حیدر خان

ایم ایل اے

کیا وزیر تعمیرات عامہ (شاہراہ) کو وضاحت فرمائیں گے کہ:-

- (الف) کیا یہ درست ہے کہ مالی سال 2025-26ء میں آزاد کشمیر کے 33 حلقہ جات میں سڑکات عوامی مفاد کو مد نظر رکھتے ہوئے، عوامی نمائندگان (MLAs) کی نشاندہی پر منصوبہ جات رکھے گئے ہیں؟
- (ب) کیا یہ بھی درست ہے کہ حلقہ ایل 16 شرقی باغ میں موجودہ ایم ایل اے کی نشاندہی کے بغیر سڑکات دو دیگر منصوبہ جات رکھے گئے اور متعلقہ ایم ایل اے نے جن منصوبہ جات کی نشاندہی کی، محکمہ تعمیرات عامہ کی جانب سے ان کے ورک آرڈر جاری نہیں کیے گئے؟
- (ج) اگر جواب "الف" میں "ب" کا جواب اثبات میں ہو تو حلقہ ایل اے 16 شرقی باغ میں متعلقہ ایم ایل اے کی نشاندہی پر منصوبہ جات (سڑکات) اندر رکھے جانے کی کیا وجوہات ہیں؟ وضاحت کی جائے۔

نشاندہ سوال نمبر 163

سردار محمد یعقوب خان

ایم ایل اے

کیا وزیر پبلیسٹی و سیکٹری ایجوکیشن وضاحت فرمائیں گے کہ:-

- (الف) کیا یہ درست ہے کہ گرلز ہائی سکول گاٹی بھوسہ میں صدر مغلہ اور جوئیر کمپیوٹر انسٹرکٹرز کی آسامیاں دو سال سے خالی ہیں اور ادارہ کا تدریسی عمل متاثر ہو رہا ہے؟
- (ب) اگر جواب اثبات میں ہو تو حکومت کب تک اس ادارہ میں صدر مغلہ اور جوئیر کمپیوٹر انسٹرکٹرز کی آسامیوں پر تعیناتی / تقرری عمل میں لانے کا ارادہ رکھتی ہے؟

جواب

(الف) (i) گرلز ہائی سکول گاٹی بھوسہ میں سینئر صدر مغلہ بی-18 کی آسامی بحترمہ صدرا خانم صدر مغلہ کی ریٹائرمنٹ سے مورخہ 10-07-2023 کو خالی ہوئی ہے۔ متذکرہ آسامی اور بی-18 کی دیگر خالی آسامیوں پر ترقیاتی کیلئے سلیکشن بورڈ کی کارروائی زیر کار ہے، تاہم تعیناتی تدریسی انتظامی امور ادارہ کی سینئر ماسٹ مغلہ سر انجام دے رہی ہیں۔

(ii) ادارہ میں کمپیوٹر انسٹرکٹرز کی نہیں بلکہ جوئیر کمپیوٹر ٹیچر بی-11 کی نو تخلیق شدہ آسامی خالی ہے۔ جسے ریکروٹمنٹ پالیسی NTS کے تحت پُر کیا جائے گا۔ سر دست ایگزیکیوٹو سائنس مغلہ بی-11 سائنس مضامین کے علاوہ کمپیوٹر کی جزوقتی تدریس کروا رہی ہیں۔

(ب) (i) سینئر صدر مغلہ بی-18 کی آسامیوں کیلئے سلیکشن بورڈ کی کارروائی زیر کار ہے۔ سلیکشن بورڈ کے انعقاد کے بعد سینئر صدر مغلہ کی آسامی پر تعیناتی کر دی جائے گی۔

(ii) متذکرہ ادارہ کی جوئیر کمپیوٹر ٹیچر کی خالی آسامی اور جوئیر ٹیچر کی دیگر جملہ آسامیوں پر NTS کے تحت تقرری کیلئے پرائیسس ہو رہا ہے۔ تقرریوں کا پرائیسس مکمل ہونے پر متذکرہ ادارہ میں تعیناتی عمل میں لائی جائے گی۔ عمل ازین تحت پالیسی یہ آسامیاں تقرری کیلئے مشتمل ہوئیں لیکن ان آسامیوں پر تقرری کے خلاف معاملہ عدالت عالیہ میں زیر سماعت رہا۔

کیا اوڈر فزیکل پلاننگ وہاؤسنگ وضاحت لرائیں گے :-

(الف) یہ کہ 108 اکتوبر 2005ء کے زلزلہ کے بعد اندرون مٹی سیوریج کا کام مکمل کرنے کیلئے MCDP نے ایک کنٹریکٹ دیا تھا؟

(ب) کیا یہ درست ہے کہ شہر بھر میں سیوریج کے اس منصوبہ میں پائپ کی تنصیب کے حوالے سے ناقص کام کیا گیا تھا اور آج تک جگہ جگہ سے سیوریج کا پانی صاف پینے کے پانی میں شامل ہو رہا ہے؟

(ج) اگر جواب اثبات میں ہے تو حکومت اس حوالے سے کیا کارروائی کرے گی؟

جواب:

(الف) درست ہے۔

(ب) موقع پر MCDP نے سیوریج کی تعمیر کا کام کروایا۔ MCDP نے کنٹریکٹ مکمل نہیں کیا۔ اکثر ایریاز میں دوران بارش گھٹیوں / سڑکات کے ہمراہ روڈ ڈرین نہ ہونے کی وجہ سے بارش کا پانی جو کہ بھری مٹی اور شاپرو فیرو ساتھ لاتا ہے، نالے کی صورت اختیار کر لیتا ہے اور عوام علاقہ میں ہول کے دھکن اٹھا دیتے ہیں جس کی وجہ سے تمام پکڑا سیوریج لائن میں چلا جاتا ہے اور لائن حواء کو چوک کر دیتا ہے۔ اس کے تدارک کے لئے متعدد بار انتظامیہ کو بھی تحریک کی گئی اور پیبلک ہیلتھ کے عمل کو بھی پابند کیا گیا کہ اس دوران علاقہ جات کا وزٹ کریں تاکہ اس طرح کی صورتحال کا سامنا نہ ہو اگر ایسا ہو جائے تو فوری طور پر ٹھکانہ مشینری لگا کر لائن حواء کو بحال کر دیا جائے نیز کہیں بھی سیوریج کا پانی پینے کے صاف پانی میں شامل نہیں ہوتا۔ ٹھکر ہڈا کے زیر انتظام تمام انٹرنیٹ کنٹریکٹ ہیں جہاں بھی اس طرح کی شکایات موصول ہوئی تو کارروائی کے دوران معلوم ہوا کہ صارفین کے اپنے کنکشن حواء کی لگج کی وجہ سے یہ عمل ہوا جو کہ موقع پر بند کروا دیا گیا۔ جہاں تک سوال ربا پائپ کی تنصیب کے حوالے سے ناقص کام کیا گیا ہے چونکہ منصوبہ MCDP بذریعہ ERRA ہوا جس کا کنٹریکٹ NESPAK فرم تھی اور اس کا جواب SERRA/ERRA ہی دے سکتی ہے۔ چونکہ ٹھکر دوران تعمیر Onboard ہی نہ تھا۔

28.4.2026
(امجد لطیف عباسی)
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منظر آبا -
28 اپریل 2026ء

محمد عارف صابر /

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AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
Law, Justice, Parliamentary Affairs and Human Rights Department

'MUZAFFARABAD'
Dated: 26.02.2026

No. LD/Legis./Ord./43-56/2026. The following Ordinance made by the President on the 23rd day of February, 2026, is hereby published for general information.

[Ordinance IV of 2026]

An

Ordinance

further to amend the Power Development Organization Act, 2014.

Whereas, it is expedient further to amend the Power Development Organization Act, 2014 (Act XXI of 2014), in the manner 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-Article (1) of Article 41 of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Interim Constitution, 1974, the President is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:

1. **Short title and Commencement.**- (1) This Ordinance may be called the Power Development Organization (Amendment) Ordinance, 2026.
- (2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Substitution of Section 4, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the Power Development Organization Act, 2014 (Act XXI of 2014), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, Section 4 shall be substituted as under:-
- "4. **Board of Directors.**- (1) There shall be a Board of Directors of the Organization consisting of,-

(i)	Prime Minister, Azad Govt. of the State of Jammu and Kashmir;	Chairman
(ii)	Minister In-Charge of Organization;	Vice-Chairman
(iii)	Chief Secretary;	Member
(iv)	Additional Chief Secretary (Dev.);	Member

(v)	Senior Member Board of Revenue;	Member
(vi)	Secretary Finance;	Member
(vii)	Secretary Energy & Water Resources Department;	Member
(viii)	Managing Director Power Development Organization;	Member/Secretary Board
(ix)	Director General Private Power Cell;	Member
(x)	Managing Director of the Private Power & Infrastructure Board or his nominee;	Member
(xi)	Two Co-opted members may be included in the Board of Directors as and when required.	

(2) The Board shall be competent to perform the following functions:-

- (i) act as a policy making body;
- (ii) approve annual budget of the Organization subject to the concurrence/vetting of the Finance Department;
- (iii) to approve the adaptation of Power/Energy Policies, issued by the Government of Pakistan from time to time, and periodical review of progress and implementation thereupon;
- (iv) review performance of the Organization from time to time; and
- (v) any other matter which is required by the Board to be presented for consideration and appropriate decision."

3. **Amendment of Section 5, Act XX1 of 2014.-** In the said Act, sub-section (1) of Section 5 shall be substituted as under:-

"(1) The Government shall appoint a person, as Managing Director of the Organization, having such qualification, experience and expertise as may be prescribed."

4. **Substitution of Section 6, Act XXI of 2014.-** In the said Act, Section 6 shall be substituted as under:-

"6. **Secretary of Board.-** The Managing Director shall be ex-officio Secretary of the Board."

5. **Amendment of Section 7, Act XXI of 2014.-** In the said Act, sub-section (2) of Section 7, shall be substituted as under:-

"(2) The Managing Director, in case of urgency, may appoint such experts and consultants as he may deem appropriate."

6. **Amendment of Section 9, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, in Section 9, the following amendments shall be made:-

- (i) in sub-section (2), for the word "seven" the word "Five" shall be substituted.
- (ii) After sub-section (2), a new sub-section 3 shall be added as under:-

"(3) In case of any urgency, the Secretary Board, with the approval of the Chairman, shall obtain the approval of such matter through circulation in the prescribed manner."

7. **Substitution of Section 10, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, the Section 10 shall be substituted as under:-

*10. **General Powers and Duties of the Organization.**- (1) Subject to any other law for the time being in force, and in pursuance of Power policies of the Government and the Government of Pakistan as adapted and made applicable in Azad Jammu and Kashmir from time to time, the Organization shall prepare, for the approval of the Board, a comprehensive plan for the development and utilization of the water resources of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir. The Organization may also undertake such other tasks/schemes as the Board may direct.

(2) Without prejudice to the provisions of sub-section (1), the Organization may prepare schemes for the consideration/approval of the Board in respect of the following matters:-

- (i) development and the use of water resources to generate and transmit power; and
- (ii) construction; maintenance and operations of power houses, grids, micro-grids and transmission lines connected with the national grids or the power houses and distribution lines through itself, contractors or private parties in accordance with the prevailing laws.

(3) A scheme prepared by the organization, shall be processed in accordance with the Government policies or instructions issued from time to time.

(4) The Organization shall submit to the Government the annual reports regarding activities undertaken during the year.

(5) The Organization shall assist and facilitate the Government and IPPs on all matters regarding joint ventures in the Power sector.

(6) The Organization may sell energy to any individual, company or organization on such terms and conditions as may be approved by the Board."

8. **Amendment of Section 11, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, in Section 11 for the word "the Ordinance" the words "this Act" shall be substituted.

9. **Substitution of Section 30, Act XXI of 2014.**- In the said Act, Section 30 shall be substituted as under:-

"30. **Rules and Regulations.**- For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this Act, the Organization with the approval of the Board may frame the Delegation of Administrative Power Rules and the Delegation of Financial Power Rules to delegate any of its powers to any officer or employee, Services Rules, Employees terms and conditions of Service and all other Regulations as it may consider necessary or expedient."

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President
Azad Jammu and Kashmir


(Kiran Latif Awan)
26/02/2016
Section Officer (Legislation)

AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
Law, Justice, Parliamentary Affairs and Human Rights Department

"Muzaffarabad"
Dated: 06-04-2014

No. LD/Legis-Act/352-63/2014. The following Act of Assembly received the assent of the President on the 1st day of April, 2014, is hereby published for general information.

[Act XXI of 2014]

An
Act

to provide legal protection for the development of water resources of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir
Whereas, it is expedient to regulate the development of water resources of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir;
It is hereby enacted as follows:-

CHAPTER I
PRELIMINARY

1. **Short title, Extent and Commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called the Power Development Organization Act, 2014.
 - (2) It shall extend to the whole of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir.
 - (3) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Definitions.**- In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context:-
 - (i) "Assembly" means the Legislative Assembly of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir;
 - (ii) "Bank" means a Bank for the time being included in the list of Bank maintained under subsection (1) of section 37 of the State Bank of Pakistan Act, 1956 (Act XXXIII of 1956) and the Bank of Azad Jammu and Kashmir;
 - (iii) "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Organization constituted under Section 4;
 - (iv) "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Board;
 - (v) "Company" means a Company registered in Pakistan or in Azad Jammu and Kashmir under the Companies Act, 1984;
 - (vi) "Director General" means the Director General Private Power Cell;
 - (vii) "Federal Government" means the Government of Islamic Republic of Pakistan;
 - (viii) "Fund" means the Organizational fund established under Section 23.
 - (ix) "Government" means the Azad Government of the State of Jammu and Kashmir;
 - (x) "IPP" means Independent Power Producer;
 - (xi) "Land" includes benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth;
 - (xii) "Local body" means a Local Council constituted under the Local Government Act, 1990;
 - (xiii) "LOI" means letter of interest to be issued by the Private Power Cell;
 - (xiv) "LOS" means letter of support to be issued by the Private Power Cell;
 - (xv) "Managing Director" means the Managing Director of the Organization;
 - (xvi) "Member" means a member of the Board;
 - (xvii) "Misconduct" means conduct prejudicial to good order or service discipline or contrary

Kashmir or conduct unbecoming of an officer and gentleman and he shall not be allowed to bring or attempt to bring political or other outside influence directly or indirectly to bear on the Government or any Government Officer in respect of any matter relating to the appointment, promotion, transfer, punishment, retirement or other conditions of services;

- (xviii) "NEPRA" means the National Electric Power Regulatory Authority of Pakistan established under Section 3 of the Regulation of Generation Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 (Act XL of 1997);
- (xix) "Act" means Azad Jammu and Kashmir Power Development Organization Act, 2014;
- (xx) "Organization" means the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Power Development Organization established under Section 3 of the Act;
- (xxi) "Officer" means an Officer of the Organization including the Managing Director;
- (xxii) "Power" includes hydraulic power, electrical energy, steam, gas or any other power notified as such by the Government in the official Gazette;
- (xxiii) "Private Power Cell" means a cell of the Organization to facilitate the IPPs in private sector as defined in the Section 15 sub-section (2) clause (g);
- (xxiv) "Prescribed" means prescribed by rules and regulations;
- (a) "Regulations" means regulations made under the Act; and
- (b) "Rules" means rules made under the Act;
- (xxv) "Secretary Board" means Secretary Board of Directors of the Organization;

(2) Expressions and other terms which have not been defined herein before shall carry the same meanings as assigned to them under power policies of the Federal Government adapted and made applicable in Azad Jammu and Kashmir by the Government from time to time.

CHAPTER II CONSTITUTION OF THE BOARD

3. Establishment of Organization.- There shall be an Organization to be known as the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Power Development Organization.

(2) The Organization shall be a body corporate having power to acquire and hold property, both movable and immovable and shall have perpetual succession and a common seal and may by the said name sue and be sued.

(3) The head office of the Organization shall be at Muzaffarabad.

4. Board of Directors.- (1) The powers and functions of the Organization shall vest in the Board constituted under sub-section (2).

(2) The Board shall consist of the following:

- (i) The Prime Minister
- (ii) The Minister Incharge
- (iii) The Minister Finance, Planning & Development
- (iv) The Chief Secretary
- (v) The Additional Chief Secretary (Dev)
- (vi) The Secretary Finance
- (vii) The Secretary Electricity/POO
- (viii) The Managing Director

Chairman

Vice-Chairman

Member(s)

Member

Member

Member

Member

amended
Chairman

(ix) One member to be nominated by the Government from the Private Sector	Member
(x) Representative of PP & IB.	Member
(xi) Director General Private Power Cell	Member
(xii) Secretary Board	Secretary/Member

5. **Managing Director.** (1) The Government shall appoint a person, with the prescribed experience as the Managing Director of the Organization.
- (2) The Managing Director shall be the chief executive of the Organization and shall be responsible for its day-to day administration and management. He shall also be responsible to carry out and implement the orders and decisions of the Board.
- (3) The term of office of the Managing Director shall be three years. On expiry of his term, the Government may reappoint the Managing Director if it is considered necessary and on such terms and conditions, as it may deem fit.
- (4) The Managing Director may, at any time, resign from his office and by virtue of his resignation, he shall cease to be the Managing Director.

Provided that his resignation in either case shall not take effect until accepted by the Government.

6. **Secretary of Organization.** There shall be a full-time Secretary of the Organization, who shall, under the general supervision of the Managing Director, be responsible to deal with the proceedings of the Board meetings and other matters entrusted to him by the Organization.
7. **Employment.** (1) The Organization may employ such experts, advisors, consultants and other officers as it considers necessary for the efficient performance of functions of the Organization, on such terms and conditions as may be determined by the Board with the approval of the Government.
- (2) The Managing Director, in case of urgency may appoint such experts, consultants and other officers as may be considered necessary with the approval of the Chairman.

Provided that every appointment made under this sub-section shall be reported to the Board without unnecessary delay and shall not continue beyond six months unless approved by the Board.

8. **Removal of Managing Director** (1) Managing Director shall not be removed from office during the term of his office except in the manner hereinafter provided:-
- (a) If the Government is of the opinion that Managing Director,-
- may have been guilty of Misconduct; or
 - may be incapable of properly performing the duties of his office by reason of physical or mental incapacity.
- (b) The Government shall appoint a Secretary to the Government as an Inquiry Officer, to enquire into the said matter.
- (2) If the Inquiry Officer, after inquiring into the matter, reports to the Government that he is of the opinion that the Managing Director has been guilty of Misconduct or is incapable of performing the duties of his office, the Government shall remove the Managing Director from his office.
9. **Meeting of the Board.** (1) The Board shall meet at least once in every four months in such

manner and at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Chairman.

(2) The Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice Chairman shall preside over the meeting of the Board. In the absence of the Chairman and the Vice Chairman, a member authorized by the Chairman shall preside over the meeting and five other members shall constitute the quorum at meeting of the Board.

CHAPTER III POWER AND DUTIES OF THE ORGANIZATION

General Powers and duties of the Organization: (1) Subject to any other law for the time being in force, and in pursuance of Power policies of Federal Government and the Government adapted and made applicable in Azad Jammu and Kashmir from time to time, the Organization shall execute, for the approval of the Government, a comprehensive plan for the development and utilization of the water resources of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir. The Organization may also undertake such other tasks/schemes as the Government may direct.

(2) Without prejudice to the provisions of sub-section (1), the Organization may prepare reports or schemes for the Government providing for all or any of the following matters, namely:

- i) The development and the use of water resources to generate and transmit power.
- ii) The construction, maintenance and operations of power houses, grids, micro-grids and transmission lines connected with the power houses.

(3) Every report or scheme prepared by the Organization under sub-section (1) and (2) shall be processed in accordance with the Government policies or Instructions, which may be issued to the Organization from time to time. The Organization shall submit to the Government periodical reviews and other reports.

(4) The Government may sanction or refuse to sanction or return for re-consideration or for re-examination of any report or scheme submitted to it under sub-section (3), or may call for such further details, or information about any such report or scheme as it may consider necessary.

(5) The Organization shall assist and facilitate the Government and IPPs on all matters regarding joint ventures in the Power sector.

11. **Survey and experiments:** The Organization, if considers necessary or expedient for carrying out the purposes of the Ordinance, may,-

- (a) cause studies, pre-feasibility studies, detailed feasibility studies, surveys, experiments of technical research to be made; or
- (b) contribute towards the cost of any such studies, surveys, experiments or technical research made by any other agency.

12. **Winding up the Hydro Electric Board and Transfer of its assets and liabilities:** (1) The Azad Jammu and Kashmir Hydro Electric Board already established by the Government under Government Order No. Works/772-871/(HEB)/89 dated 02-02-1989 shall, on the commencement of the Act and immediately after establishment of the Organization, stand wound up and all assets and liabilities of Hydro Electric Board shall also stand transferred to the Organization established under the Act.

(2) All officers and other employees of the said Hydro Electric Board shall, from the commencement of the Act, be the Officers and employees of the Organization established under

the Act on the same terms and conditions as applicable to them, before the commencement of the Act.

13. **Control over power houses, grids and transmission lines.** (1) Subject to the provisions of any other law for the time being in force, the Organization,

- i) shall have control over the operation of all power houses, grids, micro grids and transmission lines connected with the power houses in the Azad Jammu and Kashmir constructed by or transferred to the Organization, including such ancillary works as may be considered necessary for their proper operation;
- ii) may make recommendations to the Government for prescribing standards for the maintenance of power houses, grids, micro-grids and transmission lines of the Organization;
- iii) may make recommendations to the Government for proper utilization of power generated through power houses; and
- iv) shall be deemed to be the designee of the Government for the purpose of the complexes designed, insured, financed, acquired, constructed, completed, and commissioned in private sector and transferred to Government or acquired by the Government, under Concession Agreements.

14. **Organization to have powers and obligations of licensee under Electricity Act, 1910.** The Organization shall, for the purposes of the Electricity Act, 1910 (Act IX of 1910), as enforced in Azad Jammu and Kashmir be deemed to be a licensee and shall have all the powers and discharge all the obligations of a licensee under the said Act.

15. **Power regarding certain matters.** (1) The Organization may take such measures and exercise such powers as it considers necessary or expedient for carrying out the purposes of the Ordinance. (2) Without prejudice to the generality of the powers conferred by the preceding Sections and the provisions of sub-section (1), the Organization may, in the prescribed manner and subject to the provisions of the Act,

- a) undertake any work, incur any expenditure, procure plant, machinery and materials required for its use and enter into and perform all such contracts as it may consider necessary or expedient to carry out the purposes of the Act;
- b) acquire by purchase, lease, exchange or otherwise and dispose of by sale, lease, exchange or otherwise, any land or any interest in land;
- c) place wires, poles, wall brackets, stays, apparatus and appliances for the transmission of electricity or for the transmission of telegraphic or telephone communications necessary for the proper execution of a scheme;
- d) undertake any anti-corrosion operations;
- e) restrict or prohibit by general or special order the clearing and breaking up of land in the catchment area of any river;
- f) seek and obtain advice and assistance in the preparation or execution of a scheme from any local body or agency of the Government, and such local body or agency shall give the advice and assistance so sought to the best of its ability, knowledge and judgment;
- g) shall provide one window facilitation for implementation of projects in private sector shall issue the LOI and LOS, prepare one-qualification and bid documents.

sponsors, evaluate the bids of pre-qualified sponsors, assist the persons/project companies in seeking necessary consents/permissions from various authorities in the negotiation, execution in administration of the Implementation Agreement, Water Use Agreement through various policies issued or adopted by the Government in this context. All NOCs required for establishment of the project shall be routed through the Organization,

h) manage investment for Power projects and coordinate with the concerned institutions of Pakistan for power projects through private sector.

(2) The acquisition of any land or any interest in land for the Organization under this Section or for any scheme under the Act shall be deemed to be an acquisition for a public purpose within the meaning of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (Act) of 1894), as enforced in Azad Jammu and Kashmir and the provisions of the said Act shall apply to all such proceedings.

16. Right of entry:- The Managing Director or the Director General Private Power Cell or any person authorized by them in writing may enter upon and survey any land, erect pillars for the determination of intended lines of works, make boring and excavations and do all such other acts which may be necessary for the preparation of any scheme;

Provided that when the affected land does not vest in the Organization, the power conferred by this sub-section shall be exercised in such manner as to cause the least interference with, and the least damage to, the rights of the owner thereof.

17. Sanction of Government:- A scheme made and sanctioned under the Act may be amended or modified by the Organization at any time, provided if a material change is made in the scheme and its cost or the revised cost exceeds the sanctioning limit of the Organization, then sanction of the relevant forum shall be obtained.

18. Arrangement with local body or other agency:- (1) As soon as any scheme has been carried out by the Organization or at a later date, the Organization may arrange by a written agreement with a local body or other agency within whose jurisdiction any particular area covered by the scheme lies, to take over and maintain any of the works and services in that area. If the Organization fails to obtain the assent of such local body or other agency, it may refer the matter to the Government, and the Government may give such directions to the local body or other agency as it may deem fit.

(2) The Government shall have the power to direct the Organization to hand over any scheme other than a power scheme or the part of a multipurpose scheme carried out by it to any agency of the Government or a local body. In such a case the Organization shall be entitled to receive audited total cost incurred on that scheme.

CHAPTER IV ESTABLISHMENT

19. Employment of Officers and Servant:- (1) The Organization may from time to time employ directly or by induction, transfer, deputation or by absorption from any Government department, semi-autonomous and autonomous bodies, such officers and employees as it may consider necessary for the efficient performance of its functions, on such terms and conditions as it may deem fit.

Provided that the terms and conditions of service of any such person shall not be varied by the Organization to his disadvantage.

(2) Appointment and promotions of officers and employees shall be made by the competent authority under the service rules of the Organization as may be prescribed.

20. Immunity:- (1) The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Members, Managing Director, Director General, Officers and employees of the Board or the Organization shall, when acting or purporting to act in pursuance of any of the provisions of the Act, be deemed to be public servants within the meaning of Section 21 of the Azad Penal Code, 1960 (Act XLV of 1960).

(2) No suit, prosecution or other legal proceedings shall lie against the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Managing Director, Director General, members or officers and employees in respect of anything done or intended to be done, in good faith under the Act.

21. Delegation of Powers:- The Board may, by general or special order delegate to the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Member, Managing Director, Director General, of the Organization, any of its powers, duties or functions under the Act subject to such conditions as it may deem fit.

CHAPTER V REPORTS AND STATEMENTS

22. Submission of yearly reports and returns etc.:- (1) The Organization shall submit to the Assembly, as soon as possible after the end of every financial year but before the last day of October next following, a report on the conduct of the affairs of the Organization for the year including an analysis of its physical activities and financial achievements.

(2) The Assembly may require the Organization to furnish it with,-
(i) any return, statement, estimate, statistics or other information regarding any matter under the control of the Organization; or
(ii) a report on any such matter; or
(iii) a copy of any document in custody of the Organization and the Organization shall comply with such requisition.

CHAPTER VI FINANCE

23. Fund:- (1) There shall be a fund to be known as the Fund of the Organization vested in the Organization which shall be utilized with the approval of Board to meet charges in connection with its functions under the Act, including the payment of salaries and other remunerations to the Managing Director, Officers and employees of the Organization.

(2) The fund shall consist of,-
(a) grants made by the Government including the Federal Government;
(b) loans obtained from the Government including the Federal government;
(c) grants made by local bodies as required by the Government;
(d) sale proceeds of bonds issued under the authority of the Government;
(e) loans obtained by the Organization from commercial banks or any other source;
(f) foreign loans, grants or any other financial assistance obtained; and
(g) revenue through sale of power generated, water use charges, other than Mangla Dam and all other sums received by the Organization.

(3) The Organization may keep money in any scheduled bank or the Bank of Azad Jammu and Kashmir or a National Saving Centre with the approval of the Board.

(4) Nothing in sub-section (3) shall be deemed to preclude the Organization from investing any such moneys which are not required for immediate expenditure in any of the securities described in Section 20 of the Trusts Act, 1882 (Act II of 1882), as adapted in Azad Jammu and Kashmir or placing them in a fixed deposit with a scheduled bank or the Bank of Azad Jammu and Kashmir or a National Saving Centre with the approval of the Board.

(5) The Board shall endeavor to promote private sector in the generation, transmission and distribution of Power. For this purpose it may sponsor, promote or join private limited Companies incorporated and established under the Companies Act, 1984 (XLVII of 1984), as enforced in Azad Jammu and Kashmir.

(6) The Board may also permit the Organization to join, promote, sponsor or incorporate public limited Companies involved in the generation, transmission and distribution of power.

(7) To join other statutory or corporate bodies, involved in the generation, transmission and distribution of power.

24. **The Organization to be deemed a Local authority.**- The Organization shall be deemed to be a local authority under the Local Authorities Loans Act, 1914 (Act IX of 1914), as enforced in Azad Jammu and Kashmir for the purposes of borrowing money under the said Act, and the making and execution of any scheme under the Act shall be deemed to be a work which such authority is legally authorized to carry out.

25. **Limited Liability.**-The liability of the Government to the creditors of the Organization shall be limited to the extent of grants made by and the loans raised by the Organization with the sanction of the Government.

26. **Rates of sale of Power.**- The rates at which the Organization may sell power shall be so fixed as to provide for meeting the operation costs, investment cost and depreciation of assets, the redemption at due time of loans other than those covered by depreciation, the payment of any taxes and reasonable return on investment or the rates approved by the Government or by adopting, subject to approval of the Board.

27. **Maintenance of Accounts.**- The Organization shall maintain complete and accurate books of accounts in such form as may be prescribed:

Provided that separate accounts shall be maintained for all schemes transactions relating to Power.

28. **Annual Statement of Account.**- In the month of July each year, the Organization shall submit to the Government for approval of the statement of the estimated receipts and expenditure in respect of the next financial year.

29. **Audit.**- (1) The accounts of the Organization shall be audited by Local Funds Audit of the Finance Department of the Government.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of sub-section (1), the Auditor General Azad Jammu and Kashmir may, on the request of the Government, cause to be audited the accounts of the Organization.

CHAPTER VII RULES AND REGULATIONS

30. **Rules and Regulations.** - For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the Act, the

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Organization may, with the approval of the Government, frame Rules and Regulation as it may consider necessary or expedient.

31. **Repeal.** The Power Development Organization Ordinance, 2014 (Ordinance XII of 2014) is hereby repealed.


(Sardar Rashid Kaleem)
Deputy Secretary Law

A

Bill

further to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Service Tribunals Act, 1975

Whereas, it is expedient further to amend the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Service Tribunals Act, 1975 (Act XXII of 1975), for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and Commencement**-(1) This Act may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Service Tribunals (Amendment) Act, 2026.
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Section 3, Act XXII of 1975**.- In the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Service Tribunals Act, 1975 (Act XXII of 1975), in Section 3, after sub-section (5), a new sub-section (5-a), shall be added as under:-
“(5-a) The President may remove Chairman or a Member of a Tribunal appointed under sub-section (4) on the ground of inefficiency, misconduct or corruption after conducting an inquiry by the Judge of Supreme Court to be nominated by the Hon’ble Chief Justice of Azad Jammu and Kashmir.”

Objectives and Reasons

In order to provide the mechanism/procedure for removal of Chairman and Members of Service Tribunal, a bill titled “the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Service Tribunals (Amendment) Act, 2026” is submitted for consideration and approval of the Legislative Assembly.


Minister for Law

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

Dated the December 30, 1975.

No. 4020 SLJ 75 The following Act of the Legislative Assembly received the assent of the President on the 16th day of December, 1975, and is hereby published for general information:-

(ACT XXII OF 1975)

AN ACT to provide for the establishment of Service Tribunals to exercise jurisdiction regarding matters relating to the term and conditions of service in respect of persons in the service of Azad Jammu and Kashmir employed in connection with the affairs of the Government.)

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the establishment of Service Tribunals to exercise exclusive jurisdiction regarding the matters relating to the terms and conditions of service in respect of the persons in the service of Azad Jammu and Kashmir employed in connection with the affairs of the Government and for matters connected therewith or ancillary thereto in the manner hereinafter appearing.

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title, commencement and application:** (1) This Act may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Service Tribunals Act, 1975.
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.
 - (3) It applies to all civil servants wherever they may be.
2. **Definitions:** In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,-
 - (a) "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Tribunal.
 - (b) "Civil servant" means a person who is or who has been a member of a civil service of the Azad Jammu and Kashmir in connection with the affairs of the Government or who holds or has held a civil post in connection with the affairs of the Government but does not include—
 - (i) A person who is or who has been on deputation to the Azad Jammu and Kashmir from the

Federation or any other provision of the Union or authority.

- (ii) A person who is or has been employed on contract or on work-charged basis, or who is or has been paid from contingencies; or
 - (iii) A person who is or has been a "workman" or "workman" as defined in the Factories Act, 1934 (XXV of 1934) or the workman's Compensation Act, 1923 (VIII of 1923) as in force in Azad Jammu and Kashmir;
 - (c) "Government" means the Azad Government of the State of Jammu and Kashmir;
 - (d) "President" means the President of Azad Jammu and Kashmir;
 - (e) "Member" means the Member of the Tribunal;
 - (f) "Registrar" means the Registrar of a Tribunal and includes any other person authorised by a Tribunal to perform the functions and duties of the Registrar; and
 - (g) "Tribunal" means service Tribunal established by this Act, or a Bench thereof.
3. **Tribunals:** (1) There shall be one or more Tribunals, each consisting of a Chairman and one or two Members possessing the qualification hereinafter provided to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in respect of matters relating to the terms and conditions of service of Civil servants including disciplinary matters.
- (2) (a) Chairman of Tribunal shall be a person who is or is qualified to be a Judge of the High Court, and
 - (b) Member of a Tribunal shall be a person who has, for a period of not less than fifteen years, service under the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Government and is not below the status of Deputy Secretary to the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Government.
- (3) The Chairman and Members of a Tribunal shall be

appointed by Government on such terms and conditions as are provided in the first Schedule.

Provided that if a person, who is a Judge of the High Court is appointed Chairman of a Tribunal, he shall continue to be governed by the same terms and conditions as are applicable to him as Judge of the High Court.

(4) The Chairman or a Member of a Tribunal may resign his office by writing under his hand addressed to the President.

(5) The Chairman or a Member of a Tribunal shall not hold any other office of profit in the Service of Azad Jammu and Kashmir:

Provided that where a person who is a Judge of the High Court is appointed Chairman, he may, if the President in consultation with the Chief Justice of the High Court so decides, hold the office of the Chairman in addition to the performance of his functions as Judge of the High Court.

(6) (a) The terms of office of Chairman who is a Judge of the High Court may be determined by the President in consultation with the Chief Justice of the High Court.

(b) The term of office of the Chairman, other than a person who is a Judge of the High Court, and a Member of a Tribunal, unless he Resign earlier, shall be four year;

Provided that the case of a person who before his appointment as Chairman or Member was in the Service of Azad Jammu and Kashmir, the terms of office shall not extend beyond his date of superannuation and in any other case beyond the age of sixty two years;

Provided further that the Chairman, other than a person who is a Judge of the High Court, or a Member of a Tribunal may be removed from office earlier than the expiry of the term of his office by an order of the President if on a reference by the President a Committee consisting of three persons who may be appointed by the President reports that-

(i) The Chairman, or as the case may be, the Member is incapable of performing the duties of office by reason of physical or mental incapacity; or

(ii) has been guilty of misconduct

Explanation: One of the persons appointed to the committee shall be person who has been, a Judge of the High Court and the other two persons shall not be lower in status than a Deputy Secretary to the Azad Jammu and Kashmir Government.

(7) Where there are established more than one tribunal the President shall specify by notification in the official gazette the class or classes of civil servants in respect of whom, or the territorial limits within which, each Tribunal shall exercise jurisdiction under this Act.

4. **Appeals to Tribunals:** Any Civil servant aggrieved by any final order, whether original or appellate, made by a departmental authority in respect of any of the terms and conditions of his service including disciplinary matter may, within, thirty days of the communication of such order to him or within six months of the establishment of the appropriate Tribunal whichever is later, prefer an appeal to the Tribunal.

Provided that:

(a) Where an appeal, review or representation to a departmental authority is provided under any law, regulations or rules of the time being enforced, no appeal shall lie to a Tribunal unless the aggrieved civil servant has preferred an appeal or application for review or representation to such departmental authority and period of ninety days has elapsed from the date on which such appeal, application or representation was to be preferred;

(b) No appeal shall lie to a Tribunal against an order or decision of a departmental authority determined-

(i) The fitness or otherwise of a person to be appointed to or hold a particular post or to be promoted to a higher post or grade; or

(ii) The— quantum of departmental punishment or penalty imposed on civil servant as a result of a departmental


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**AZAD GOVT. OF THE STATE OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

"Muzaffarabad"
Dated: 01-08-2025


NOTIFICATION

No. P&D/Gen./625-90/2025. As per decision of the Cabinet conveyed by S&GAD vide letter No. Admin./CS/1059-31/2025 dated August 1, 2025, the President Azad Jammu & Kashmir has been pleased to accord approval for provision of Rs.3.00 billion for FY. 2025-26 from Grant No. 31 under head MZ7045(A03940) Unforeseen Expenditure for execution of development activities related to Annual Development Programme (ADP) 2025-26.


(Muhammad Sayyad Khan)
Section Officer (Admin)

Copy to:-

1. The Secretary Presidential Affairs to the President, Azad Jammu & Kashmir.
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3. PS to the Most Senior Minister/All the Ministers/Advisors/Special Assistances GoAJ&K.
4. PSO to the Chief Secretary, GoAJ&K.
5. PS to the Additional Chief Secretary (General), GoAJ&K.
6. PS to the Additional Chief Secretary (Dev.), GoAJ&K.
7. PS to the Senior Member Board of Revenue, GoAJ&K.
8. PS to the Secretary Finance, GoAJ&K, Muzaffarabad with reference to financial concurrence No. FD/B/8940-41/2025 Dated: July 16, 2025.
9. PS to all the Administrative Secretaries, GoAJ&K.
10. The Accountant General, AJ&K Muzaffarabad.
11. The Director General Audit, AJ&K Muzaffarabad.
12. The Controller Printing Press AJ&K, Muzaffarabad.
13. Master file.


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