

THE BALOCHISTAN LEVIES WELFARE FUND
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An Ordinance to establish a Welfare Fund for relief and welfare of Levymen and their families in Balochistan.

WHEREAS it is expedient to establish a Welfare Fund for relief of Levymen and their families in the manner hereinafter appearing;

AND WHEREAS the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the Proclamation of the fifth day of July, 1977, read with the Laws (Continuance in Force) Order, 19777, (CMLA Order No. 1 of 1977)*, and in exercise of all powers enabling him in that behalf. the Governor of Balochistan is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance: —

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Balochistan Levies Welfare Fund Ordinance, 1980.

(2) It shall apply to all levymen Provincial and Federal including the ministerial staff (Levies Muharrirs etc.) in Levy Force.

(3) It shall come into force> on such date as Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say: —

This Ordinance was promulgated by the Governor of Balochistan on 12 November, 1980; published in Balochistan Gazette

(Extraordinary) No. 232, dated 15" November, 1980. Saved and, validated by Article 270-A of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan (1973).

Spelling of the word "Baluchistan", wherever it appears in this regulation, is corrected by insertion of letter

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instead of "u"";

as per Government of Balochistan, S&GAD's Notification No. SORI (4) 6/ S&GAD-89, dated 18" June, 1989.
Proclamation of Martial Law, published in the Gazette of Pakistan, Extraordinary, Part I, dated 5" July, 1977.
Chief Martial Law Administrator Order I of 1977, published in the Gazette of Pakistan, Extraordinary, Part I, dated 5" July, 1977.

Came into force on 1" January, 1981 by Notification No. 8.0. (TA) 12 (181)79, dated 10" January, 1981, issued by Secretary, Government of Balochistan, Home & Tribal Affairs Department, Quetta.

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Fund. 3. (1)

"Family" in relation to a Levyman, means his: —

(i) wife or wives, as the case may be;

(ii) — legitimate children and step children less than twelve years old;

(iii) legitimate children and step children not

less than twelve years old, if residing

with and wholly dependent upon him;

(iv) parents, sisters and minor brothers, if residing with and wholly dependent upon him;

"Fund" means the Balochistan Levies Welfare

Fund established under this Ordinance;

"Government" means the Government of

Balochistan:

"Levyman" means a person who is member of Levy Service and shall include the Ministerial Staff of the said service;

"Prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Ordinance.

As soon as may be, the Government shall

establish a Fund to be called the Balochistan Levies Welfare

Fund.

(2)

(3)

The fund shall consist of: —

(a) compulsory contributions recovered from the levy personnel at such rates as Government may, from time to time prescribe;

(b) such grant as may, from time to time, be made by Government;

(c) other contributions and donations;

(d) income from investment, if made, under this Ordinance.

The money credited to the Fund shall be held in

such custody as may be prescribed.

Utilization of Fund. 4.

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The fund shall be utilized for: —

the betterment/relief of the levy personnel and

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their families;

(b) providing amenities for the Force as a whole and in particular lower ranks and their families;

(c) defraying expenses on account of transportation of dead bodies and burial expenses of the deceased levymen who expire during service subject to inability to meet the same from any other fund;

(d) grant of scholarships to the children of levy personal studying in post matric classes with good academic on district basis;

(e) any other matter incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects;

(f) defraying expenditure incurred in respect of management of the Fund.

5. (1) sub-section (2) of section 3 shall be deducted at the source from the salaries of the levymen.

All contributions recovered under clause (a) of

(2) The Fund shall be maintained centrally by the Funds Assistant of the Central Levies Office on behalf of the Treasurer, Section Officer (Tribal Affairs) Home Department Balochistan. The audit of the assets of and expenditure from the Fund will be conducted by such authority as may be prescribed.

6. As soon as may be, the Government shall, in such manner as may be prescribed, constitute the following Managing Committees, namely: —

(a) The Provincial Welfare Committee;
(b) The District Welfare Committee.

(2) Subject to such directions as may be issued by Government and such rules as may be made in this behalf: —

(a) The Provincial Welfare Committee shall be responsible to deal with all the matters relating to the administration of the Fund and shall maintain and manage the investment of the said Fund;

(b) The District Welfare Committee shall, subject to such directions as may be issued by the Provincial Welfare

Committee, deal with the formulation of recommendations for consideration by the Provincial Welfare Committee.

Indemnity. 7. No suit, prosecution or other legal proceedings shall lie against the Managing Committees constituted under section 6 or against any officer or servant of such Committee, for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Ordinance or the rules made thereunder.

Power to make 8. The Government may make rules! for the purposes of rules. giving effect to the provisions of this Ordinance.