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An Ordinance to control the movement of Marble and
Coal Minerals from Balochistan to other Province of the State.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the control the
movement of Marble and Coal Minerals from Balochistan to
other Province of the State;

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, 1977 (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: —

Short title, extent 1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Balochistan
and Marble and Coal Minerals (Control of Movement) Ordinance,
commencemen 1978.

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(2) It shall extend to the whole Province of
Balochistan except the Tribal Areas.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

Definitions. 2. In this Ordinance unless there is anything repugnant in

the subject or context: —

(a) "Government" means the Government of
Balochistan.

(b) "Licensing Authority" means the Joint Director of

1 This Ordinance, was promulgated by the Governor of Balochistan on 23" August, 1978; published in the Balochistan Gazette

(Extraordinary) No. 67, dated 3"! September, 1978. Saved and validated by Article 270-A of the Constitution of the Islamic
Republic of Pakistan (1973).

2 Spelling of the word "Baluchistan", wherever it appears in this ordinance, is corrected by insertion of letter "o" instead of "u";

per Government of Balochistan, S&GAD's Notification No. SORI (4) 6/ S&GAD-89, dated 18" June, 1989.

3 Proclamation of Martial Law, published in the Gazette of Pakistan, Extraordinary, Part I, dated 5th July, 1977.

4 Chief Martial Law Administrator Order I of 1977, published in the Gazette of Pakistan, Extraordinary, Part I, dated 5th July, 1977.

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Mineral Development Government of
Balochistan.

3. No person or Company shall be allowed to transport either by road or rail Coal or Marble from the Province of Balochistan to other Provinces except on a rahdari, issued in this behalf, by the Licensing Authority.
4. Any person, Company may apply to the Licensing Authority for grant of rahdari on a Form prescribed by the Government.
5. The Government may by notification in the gazette prescribed the manner in which the Licensing Authority may issue rahdari before despatch of Coal, Marble by road/ rail from the Province of Balochistan for the quantity of minerals purchased and intended for despatch by the purchaser or agent on submission of an application.
6. The permit/ rahdari shall be issued immediately by the Licensing Authority on demand to the individual/ agency on his production of relevant material signifying the sources and quantity of minerals purchased.
7. The individual/ agency shall submit to the Licensing Authority, a monthly return on the prescribed Form showing the quantity of minerals purchased and despatched by him, before 7th of each ensuing month.
8. If any individual/ agency fails to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance or the rules made thereunder, be or it, as the case may be, shall be liable to be fined upto Rs. 5,000/- (Rupees five thousand) for each violation and the Coal or Marble shall be liable to confiscation in favour of the Government by the Licensing Authority. The fine imposed under this section shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue.
9. The Licensing Authority may delegate all or any of its powers to any Officer of Grade-17 in the Directorate of Mineral Development Balochistan.
10. The Government may make rules! for carrying out the purpose of this Ordinance.

1 For rules see "The Balochistan Marble and Coal (Permit/Rahdari Procedure) Rules, 1978"; published in the Balochistan Gazette (Extraordinary) No. 35, dated 24" April, 1979.

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