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An Ordinance to prohibit the sale and use of polythene bags  
in the Province of Balochistan.

WHEREAS it is expedient in the public interest to prohibit  
the import, make, sale and use of polythene bags in the Province of  
Balochistan in the manner hereinafter appearing;

AND WHEREAS the Provincial Assembly of Balochistan  
stand suspended in pursuance of the Proclamation of Emergency of  
the fourteenth day of October, 1999, and the Governor is satisfied  
that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate  
action;

NOW THEREFORE in pursuance of Article 4 of the  
Provisional Constitution (Amendment) Order, 1999 (Chief  
Executive's Order No. 9 of 1999), 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. Q) This Ordinance may be called the Balochistan  
Prohibition on Use and Sale of Polythene Bags Ordinance, 2001.

(2) It extends to the whole of Province of Baluchistan  
except Tribal Areas.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires the

following expressions shall have the meaning hereby respectively  
assigned to them, that is to say—

(a) "Factory" means any premises where the polythene

bags are made and produced;

(b) "Person" includes a shopkeepers, factory, owners hawkers and others;

(c) "Polythene bags" means a leading thermoplastic processed from Polythene granules.

3. No person shall import, make, sale and offer any kind of

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No. 23, dated 17 March, 2001. Protected and declared continue in force by Article 270AA of the Constitution of the Islamic Re  
Pakistan (1973).

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+ That is Act V of 1898.

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eatable and non eatable goods in any kind of polythene bags in the  
Province of Balochistan.

4. An person who contravenes the Provisions of section 3, shall  
be liable to imprisonment for a term which may extend to 3 months  
or with fine upto fifty thousand rupees or with both.

5. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Code of Criminal  
Procedure, 1898', an offence punishable under this Ordinance shall  
be cognizable and bailable within the meaning of the said Code.