

THE PRISONS (WEST PAKISTAN AMENDMENT) ACT, 1958

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An Act to amend the +Prisons Act, 1894, in its
application to the Province of *West Pakistan.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Prisons
Act, 1894, in its application to the Province of 7West Pakistan
for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Prisons ?(West Pakistan
Amendment) Act, 1958.

2. In section 3 of the *Prisons Act, 1894 (hereinafter called
the principal Act), after clause (7) the following clause (7-A)
shall be inserted—

"(7-A) 'Deputy Inspector-General' means the Deputy
Inspector-General of Prisons."

3. Section 5 of the principal Act shall be numbered as sub-
section (1) and thereafter the following new sub-section shall be
inserted—

"(2) Director of Prisons shall be appointed for the territories to be defined by the Provincial Government and shall exercise, subject to the orders of the Provincial Government and the "(Director of Prisons} such powers in respect of superintendence of prisons and the staff employed in the prisons in their respective territories as may be assigned to them by the Provincial Government."

4. In sub-section (2) of section 11 of the principal Act between the words "report" and "to" the words "through the

For statement of objects and reasons, see W.P Gazette (Extraordinary) 1958, p. 1126. This Act was passed by the W.P. Asse August, 1958; assented to by the Governor of W.P. on 20th September, 1958; and, published in the W.P. Gazette (Extraordin

23" September, 1958, pages 1279-80.
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ie. Act IX of 1894. It falls in the concurrent legislation list of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan (1974) before the 1 amendment, however its status remained concurrent in view of clause (b) of the Article 142 of the Constitution as amended by Constitution (18 Amendment) Act, 2010 (Act X of 2010), s. 49.

Subs. for the words "Inspector-General", by W.P. Ord. XXV of 1962.

IX of 1894.

Amendment of
section 14, Act
IX of 1894.

5[Director of Prisons]" shall be inserted.

5. In section 14, of the principal Act between the words
"sent" and "to" the words "through the '[Director of Prisons]"
shall be inserted.

5 Subs. for the words "Deputy Inspector-General", by W.P. Ord. XXV of 1962.