

THE [KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA] (PROHIBITION OF FIRING AND USE OF EXPLOSIVE SUBSTANCE AT MARRIAGES AND OTHER CEREMONIES) ACT, 1988.

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AN  
ACT  
to prohibit firing and use of explosive substance at  
marriages and other ceremonies.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for prohibition of firing and use of explosive substances at marriages and other ceremonies to avoid endangering of life or property;

It is hereby enacted as follows:

1. (1) This Act may be called the \*[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] (Prohibition of Firing and use of Explosive Substance at Marriages and other Ceremonies) Act, 1988. extent and commencement

(2) It shall extend to the whole of the \*[Province of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa]. "-

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. In this Act unless the context otherwise requires,- Definitions.

(a) 'explosive substance' means any substance which when explodes causes fire;

(b) 'firing' means firing with any type of fire arms and shooting of explosive substances.

3. Firing and use of explosive substances at the occasion of a marriage or any other Prohibition ceremony including a political reception or procession or stray firing at a public of firing place is prohibited. and use of

explosive  
substances.

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Penalty of 4. (1) Whoever contravenes any provision of this Act shall be punished with offences. imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year or with fine which may extend to ten thousand rupees or with both.

Cognizance 5, A Police Officer of the rank of Sub-Inspector may arrest any offender without of offences. warrant.

Offences to 6 The offences committed under this Act shall be bailable.

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. 7. The Provincial Government may on occasion of official ceremonies relax the Relaxation of Ls : an : . :

- provisions of this Act by issuing a proper Notification in the official Gazette. provisions.

Power to §, The Government may frame rules for carrying out the purposes of this Act. make rules.

By Order of the Speaker,  
Provincial Assembly of  
1[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa]

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