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NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

Islamabad, the 12th December, 1975

The following Acts of Parliament received the assent of the President on the  
. 9th December, 1975, and are hereby published for general information :—

ACT No, LXXIV OF 1975

\* An Act to provide for the prohibition of cutting of trees near the external frontiers  
of Pakistan

Whereas it is expedient to provide for the prohibition of cutting of trees  
or causing damage to the standing and growing trees within five miles of the  
external frontiers of Pakistan and for matters ancillary thereto ;

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It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. Short title, extent and commencement.—(1) This Act may be called the  
Cutting of Trees (Prohibition) Act, 1975.

(2) It extends to the whole of Pakistan.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2 Definitions—In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject  
or context,—

(a) “formation” means a Corps, Division or Brigade of the Pakistan

Army ;

— (b) “local formation commander”, in relation to an area, means an  
officer for the time being in command of the formation in the area ;

(c) “tree” means a large plant with a self-supporting trunk.

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3. Cutting, etc., of trees prohibited.—Notwithstanding anything contained in any other law for the time being in force, no person shall, without the prior written approval of the local formation commander or an officer authorised by him in this behalf, cut, fell or damage or cause to be cut, felled or damaged any tree growing within the five miles belt along the external frontiers of Pakistan.

4. Penalty.—Whoever contravenes the provisions of this Act or the rules made thereunder shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine, or with both.

5. Power to make rules.—The Federal Government may make rules for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

ACT No, LXXV oF 1975

An Act further to amend the Life Insurance (Nationalisation) Order, 1972

Wuereas it is expedient further to amend the Life Insurance (Nationalisation) Order, 1972, for the purposes hereinafter appearing ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) This Act may be called the Life Insurance (Nationalisation) (Amendment) Act, 1975.

(2) It shall come into force at once,

2. Amendment of Article 22, P.O. No. 10 ef 1972.—In the Life Insurance (Nationalisation) Order, 1972 (P. O. No. 10 of 1972), hereinafter referred to as the said Order, in Article 22, in clause (1), after sub-clause (f), the following new sub-clause (g) shall be added and shall be deemed always to have been so added, namely :—

“(g) acted, or omitted to act, in violation of any provision of the Act and has thereby caused a loss to, or imposed a liability on, the insurer.”.

3. Amendment of Article 40, P. O. No. 10 of 1972.—In the said Order, in Article 40, in clause (3),—

(a) after the word and comma “assets,”, the words and commas “ or that loss has been caused to, or liability imposed on, the insurer by reason of its having acted, or omitted to act, in violation of any of the provisions of the Act,” shall be inserted ; and

(b) after the word “difference”, twice occurring, the comma and words “, loss or liability” shall be inserted.

4. Insertion of new Article 40B, P. O. No. 10 of 1972.—In the said Order, ~ after Article 40A, the following new Article 40B shall be inserted, namely :—

“40B. Certain amounts recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.—Notwithstanding anything contained in this Order or in any other law for

the time being in force and without prejudice to the right of the Corporation to recover its dues in any other manner, any dues of the Corporation determined by the Tribunal, or payable under a decree of any court, shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue. ”.

5. Repeal.—The Life Insurance (Nationalisation) (Amendment)’ Ordinance, 1076 (VTTT of 1975). is hereby repealed.