PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH **NOTIFICATION** KARACHI, THE 04TH AUGUST, 2021

NO.PAS/LEGIS-B-11/2021-The Sindh Employees Social Security (Amendment) Bill, 2021, having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Sindh on 02nd July, 2021 and assented to by the Governor of Sindh on 28th July, 2021 is hereby published as an Act of the Legislature of Sindh.

THE SINDH EMPLOYEES SOCIAL SECURITY (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2021. SINDH ACT NO.XIX OF 2021

AN**ACT**

to amend the Sindh Employees Social Security Act, 2016.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Sindh Employees Social Preamble. Security Act, 2016, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Sindh Employees Social Security (Amendment) Act, 2021.

Short title and commencement.

- (2) It shall come into force at once.
- In the Sindh Employees Social Security Act, 2016, hereinafter Amendment of Section referred to as the said Act, in Section 2 –

2 of the Sindh Act No.VI of 2016.

- in sub-section (9), after the words "expressed or implied", (i) the words "self-employed worker" shall be inserted;
- after sub-section (27), the following new sub-sections shall (ii) be inserted:-

"(27-A) "self-employed worker" means a person who engages himself in any work such as daily wages worker, construction worker, homebased worker, transport worker, fisheries worker, agriculture worker, seasonal worker and the worker employed under the Sindh Shops and Commercial Establishments Act, 2015 (Sindh Act No. XII of 2016):

"(27-B) "smart card" means the Benazir Mazdoor Card to be issued by the National Database and Registration Authority (NADRA) to all secured workers for the purpose of social security benefits admissible under the Social Security Scheme.".

In the said Act, after Section 20, the following new section shall be Insertion of Section 20-3. inserted:-

"20-A. Contribution by the self-employed workers. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the employee other than employed by the employer shall pay the contribution to the Institution at the fixed rate of rupees fifteen hundred per month, subject to such conditions as may be prescribed.".

A in the Sindh Act No.VI of 2016.

BY ORDER OF THE SPEAKER PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH

G.M.UMAR FAROOQ **SECRETARY** PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH