PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH **NOTIFICATION** KARACHI, THE 01ST FEBRUARY, 2021

NO.PAS/Legis-B-04/2021-The Sindh Parliamentary Secretaries (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) (Amendment) Bill, 2021 having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Sindh on 07th January, 2021 and assented to by the Governor of Sindh on 26th January, 2021 is hereby published as an Act of the Legislature of Sindh.

THE SINDH PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES (SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND PRIVILEGES) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2021

SINDH ACT NO. II OF 2021

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to amend the Sindh Parliamentary Secretaries (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) Act, 1974.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Sindh Parliamentary Secretaries (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges Act, 1974, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

Preamble.

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Sindh Parliamentary Secretaries (Salaries, Short title and Allowances and Privileges (Amendment) Act, 2021.

Commencement.

- (2) It shall come into force at once and shall be deemed to have taken effect on and from 13th August, 2018.
- 2. In the Sindh Parliamentary Secretaries (Salaries, Allowances and Substitution of section Privileges) Act, 1974, hereinafter referred to as the said Act, for section 3, the 3 of Sindh Act No. following shall be substituted:-

XXIV of 1974.

- "3. A Parliamentary Secretary shall -
 - (i) draw his salary, allowances, perks and privileges from the Secretariat of Provincial Assembly of Sindh in the capacity of Member of Provincial Assembly, save as otherwise expressly provided under this Act;
 - be entitled to a special allowance of rupees fifty thousand per month to be paid by the Law Department, Government of Sindh;
 - (iii) be entitled to the use of an official car maintained at Government expenses with a Driver from the Department to which he is appointed as Parliamentary Secretary.".

3. In the said Act, after section 3, the following new section 3-A shall be added:

Addition of Section 3-A of Sindh Act No.XXIV of 1974.

- "3-A. **Sumptuary Allowance.** A Parliamentary Secretary shall be entitled to receive sumptuary allowance at the rate of rupees ten thousand per month."
- 4. In the said Act, in section 4, for the words "one hundred and fifty rupees" the words "one thousand rupees" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 4 of Sindh Act No. XXIV of 1974.

5. (1) In the said Act, in section 4-A, in sub-section (2), for the words "house rent at the rate of forty five percent of the minimum of BS-21 as admissible", the words "forty five thousand rupees per month" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 4-A of Sindh Act No. XXIV of 1974.

6. In the said Act, in section 4-D, after sub-section 2 the following new sub-sections shall be added:-

Amendment of section 4-D of Sindh Act No. XXIV of 1974.

- "(3) A Parliamentary Secretary may, if he is on official duty and it is in the public interest, travel by air, in which case he shall be entitled to:-
 - (a) economy class airfare; and
 - (b) cost of transporting personal luggage up to the free allowance given by the Air Line Company.".
- (4) A Parliamentary Secretary travelling on official duty by train, shall be entitled to receive travelling allowance equal to the actual fare of the class travelled, fare of personal luggage up to one hundred kilograms and half fare of the air conditioned class.
- (5) A Parliamentary Secretary, travelling on official duty by road in a vehicle not owned by the Government shall be entitled to receive allowance at the rate of fifteen rupees per kilometer.
- (6) A Parliamentary Secretary travelling abroad on official duty shall be treated equivalent to a BPS-21 officer.".

BY ORDER OF THE SPEAKER PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH

G.M.UMAR FAROOQ SECRETARY PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH