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SINDH ORDINANCE NO.IV OF 1998

THE SINDH WILDLIFE PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1998

[20th March, 1998]

An Ordinance to amend the Sind Wildlife Protection Ordinance, 1972.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Sind Wildlife Protection Ordinance, 1972, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

AND WHEREAS The Provincial Assembly is not in session and the Governor of Sindh is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 128 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, the Governor of Sindh is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :-

Short title and commence-ment

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Sindh Wildlife Protection (Amendment) Ordinance, 1997.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Amendment of section 17 of Sind Ordinance V of 1972.

2. In the Sind Wildlife Protection Ordinance, 1972, in section 17, after sub-section (1), the following new sub-section shall be inserted:-

"(1-A) Notwithstanding the provisions of sub-section (1), whoever hunts (1) rabit or (2) deer, hoodder or para or (3) Sindh ibex or wild-sheep in contravention of the provisions of this Ordinance shall respectively be punished (1) with a fine of one hundred thousand rupees or with imprisonment of three months, (2) with a find of one hundred fifty thousand rupees or with imprisonment of six months or (3) with a fine of three hundred thousand rupees or with imprisonment of nine months.".

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