

SIND ORDINANCE NO. VI OF 1984
THE SIND COURT OF WARDS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1984

[27TH August, 1984]

An Ordinance to amend the Sind Court of Wards Act, 1905.

WHEREAS the Federal Shariat Court has directed to make certain amendments in the Sind Court of Wards Act, 1905; **Preamble.**

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Sind Court of Wards Act, 1905, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

NOW, THEREFORE, in Pursuance of the Proclamation of the fifth day of July, 1977 and the Provisional Constitution Order, 1981, the Governor of Sind is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Sind Court of Wards (Amendment) Ordinance, 1984; **Short title and commencement.**

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In the Sind Court of Wards Act, 1905, hereinafter referred to as the said Act, section 31 shall be numbered as sub-section (1) of that section, and after sub-section (1) so numbered and the proviso thereto the following shall be added :— **Amendment of section 31 of Sind Act I of 1905.**

(2) Where any such suit is instituted without delivering or leaving such notice as aforesaid or before the expiration of the said period of two months or where the plaintiff does not contain a statement that such notice has been so delivered or left, the plaintiff shall not be entitled to any costs if settlement as regards the subject matter of the suit is reached or the Court of Wards concedes the plaintiff's claim within the period of two months from the date of the institution of the suit:

Provided that in a suit instituted without such notice, the Civil Court shall be replaced by a semi colon and there after the following proviso shall be added :—

3. In the said Act, in section 44, the fullstop appearing at the end shall be replaced by a semi colon and thereafter the following proviso shall be added :— **Amendment of section 44 of Sind Act I of 1905.**

"provided that no order or proceeding shall be revised, modified or reversed unless the person likely to be affected thereby is afforded an opportunity of being heard.". "