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[27th September, 1995]

An act to provide for the establishment of Poultry Vaccine Centre in the province of Sindh.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the establishment of poultry Vaccine Centre to promote Production of Poultry Vaccines and undertake scientific and technology research for the improvement of quality of Vaccines and production of new Vaccines;

Preamble.

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

CHAPTER-I PRELIMINARY

1. (1) This Act may be called the Sindh (Poultry Vaccine Centre) Act, 1995.

Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context;

Definitions.

(a) "Board" means the Boar constituted under section 5;

(b) "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Board;

(c) "Fund" means the Fund of the Centre;

(d) "Government" means the Government of Sindh;

(e) "Member" means a member of the Board;

(f) "prescribed" means prescribed by rules or regulations;

(g) "regulations" means regulations made under this Act;

(h) "rules" means rules made under this Act;

CHAPTER-II THE UNIVERSITY

3. (1) As soon as may be after the commencement of this Act Government may by a Notification in the Official Gazette establish in accordance with the provisions of this Act a Centre to be known as the Sindh Poultry Vaccine Centre.

Establishment of the Centre.

(2) The Centre shall be a body corporate, having perpetual succession and common seal, with power, subject to the provisions of this Act to acquire, hold and dispose of the property, both moveable, and immovable, and shall by the said name, sue and be sued.

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(3) The Head-quarter of the Centre shall be at Karachi.

(4) The Centre may establish regional offices as such places as it may consider expedient.

4. (1) Subject to the other provisions of this Act the general direction and administration of the Center and its affairs shall vest in the Board which may exercise all powers and do all acts and things which may be exercise or done by the Centre.

Administration of the affairs of the Centre.

(2) The Board in discharging its functions shall act on sound principles of production of Poultry Vaccines and act on commercial considerations and shall be guided by such directions as Government may, from time to time give.

(3) If a question arises whether any matter is a matter of policy or not the decision so Government shall be final.

5. (1) The Board shall consist of:-

Constitution of the Board.

(i)	Secretary Fisheries and Livestock Department.	Chairman
(ii)	Director General, Livestock and Fisheries Department.	Official Member
(iii)	Deputy Secretary (Tech) or Section Officer (Tech) Fisheries and Livestock Department as nominated by the Secretary of the Department.	Official Member
(iv)	Director, Poultry Production and Research Sindh Karachi.	Official Member
(v)	Director, Poultry Vaccine Production Centre.	Official Member
(vi)	The Chairman of the Department of Physiology, University of Karachi or his nominee.	Non- Official Member
(vii)	The Chief Executive of the K & N's Breeding Farms Karachi.	Non- Official Member
(viii)	Chairman of the Pakistan Poultry Association Sindh Zone.	Non- Official Member

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(2) The Director, Poultry vaccine Centre shall also be the Secretary of the Board.

(3) The Chairman may co-opt any person as a member for a particular purpose or a specified period.

(4) A member shall hold office at the pleasure of the Chairman.

(5) A member may be writing under his hand addressed to the Chairman resign his office.

(6) The Centre may allow such remuneration to the non-official member as it may determine with the approval of the Board.

(7) No act or proceedings of the Board shall be invalid merely on the ground of the existence of any vacancy in, or any defect in the constitution of the board.

6. (1) The Chairman and members shall discharge such duties and perform such functions as are assigned to them by or under the Act.

Duties and functions of Chairman and Members.

(2) Until the Board is constituted, the Chairman shall, subject to such directions as Government may give, exercise the powers and discharge the duties and perform the functions of the Board.

7. (1) All business of the Board shall to the extent and in the manner prescribed by regulations be disposed of at the meeting of the Board.

Meeting of the Board.

(2) The meeting of the Board shall be held at such times and places and in such manner as regulations may provide; provided that until regulations are framed, the meeting shall be held as directed by the Chairman.

CHAPTER – III

POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE CENTRE AND COMMITTEES

8. The Centre shall—

Functions of the Centre.

- (a) accelerate production of Poultry Vaccines and shall be responsible for planning and promoting projects in this behalf;

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- (b) undertake scientific and technological research for the improvement of quality of vaccines and production of new vaccines and utilization of such vaccines and publish results of such research for general information;
- (c) device easy implement training programmes in the field of poultry vaccines;
- (d) promote joint ventures specially with foreign investors for the quality of poultry vaccine;
- (e) promote joint ventures specially with foreign investors for the improvement of quality of poultry vaccine;
- (f) take such steps as may be necessary or conducive to the attainment of its Objects.

9. The Centre shall have power to:--

Power and duties of the Centre.

- (a) acquire, hold control over and administer movable or immovable property;
- (b) dispose of any property;
- (c) formulate and enforce any scheme of the purposes of this Act;
- (d) incur any expenditure for carrying out the purposes of this Act;
- (e) enter into and execute all such contracts as it may consider necessary;

10. The Centre may constitute execute technical or advisory committees with such constitution and functions as may be prescribed by regulations and until regulations are framed, the Chairman may specify constitution and functions of such committees.

Constitution of the Committee.

11. The Center may for efficient performance of it functions appoint such advisers, consultants officers and other staff possessing such professional technical or ministerial qualifications and experience and on such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by regulations.

Appointment of advisors officers etc.

CHAPTER – IV

FINANCE, AUDIT AND ACCOUNTS

12. (1) The Centre shall be a self-financing body and it shall maintain a separate fund known as poultry Vaccine Centre fund.

Fund.

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(2) The fund shall consist of---

- (a) Sale proceeds of poultry vaccines, other poultry biological products or any other property of the Centre;
- (b) grants made by or loans obtained from Government;
- (c) grants made by any person or body;
- (d) loans obtained from any source with the sanction of Government.
- (e) profit or interest on the deposits of its surplus Funds;
- (f) all other sums receivable by the Centre.

(3) The amount credited in the fund shall be deposited in any scheduled Bank approved by the Board.

(4) The fund shall be utilized for carrying out the purposes of this Act, including the payment of Salaries and other remuneration payable under this Act.

(5) The Centre may invest its surplus fund in any security of the Federal Government or Provincial government or any other security or scheme approve by Government.

13. The annual budget of the Centre shall be prepared and approved in such manner as may be prescribed. **Budget.**

14. (1) The Centre shall maintain complete and accurate accounts in the form and in such manner as may be prescribed by rules. **Maintenance of Accounts and audit.**

(2) The accounts of the Centre shall be audited every year by the Chartered Accountants approved by the Board.

15. All sums due to the Centre from any person, body or organization shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue. **Recovery of dues.**

CHAPTER – V

MISCELLANEOUS

16. Government may require the Centre to furnish to it any document, return, statement, statistics or any other information regarding any matter pertaining to the Centre and the Centre shall comply with such requisition. **Returns, statement etc.**

17. (1) The Centre may, by general or special order and subject to such conditions as it may impose delegate to the **Delegation of power.**

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Chairman, members or its Officers, any of its powers, duties or functions under this Act, or the rules and regulations made there under.

(2) The Chairman, may delegate to any Officer or employee of the Centre any of his powers under this Act, note being the powers delegated to him under sub-section (1).

18. The Chairman, members, advisers, consultants, or employees of the Centre shall, while acting or purporting to act under this rules or regulations, be deemed to be public servants within the meaning section 21 of the Pakistan Penal Code. **Public servant.**

19. No suit, prosecution or other legal proceedings shall lie against the Centre, Chairman, members or any advisor consultants, or Officer of the Centre in respect to any thing done in good faith or intended to be done in good faith under this Act, rules or regulations. **Indemnity.**

20. Government may make rules for carrying out the purpose of this Act. **Powers to make rules.**

21. The Centre may, make regulations for all matters not provided for in the rules and for which provisions is necessary for carrying out the purposes of this Act and the rules. **Powers to make regulations.**

22. The Sindh (Poultry Vaccine Centre) Ordinance, 1995 is hereby repealed. **Repeal.**