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PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH

NOTIFICATION

KARACHI, THE 18TH AUGUST, 2025.

NO.PAS/LEGIS-B-14/2025- The Sindh Prisons and Corrections Services (Amendment) Bill, 2025 having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Sindh on 25th July, 2025 and assented to by the Governor of Sindh on 15th August, 2025 is hereby published as an Act of the Legislature of Sindh.

THE SINDH PRISONS AND CORRECTIONS SERVICES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2025

SINDH ACT NO. XIX OF 2025.

**AN
ACT**

to amend the Sindh Prisons and Corrections Services Act, 2019.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Sindh Prisons and Corrections Services Act, 2019, in the manner hereinafter appearing; **Preamble.**

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Sindh Prisons and Corrections Services (Amendment) Act, 2025.

**Short title,
extent and
commencement.**

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In the Sindh Prisons and Corrections Services Act, 2019, hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in section 15, for sub-section (1), the following shall be substituted:- **Amendment of section 15 of Sindh Act No.X of 2019.**

“(1) The Inspector General shall be appointed by the Chief Minister from amongst the Deputy Inspectors General of the Service or from amongst BS-21/20 officers of Pakistan Administrative Service, Police Service of Pakistan or Executive Provincial Civil Service or Provincial Management Service.”

3. In the said Act, for section 16, the following shall be substituted:- **Substitution of section 16 of Sindh Act No.X of 2019.**

“16. **Deputy Inspector General and Assistant General.** (1) The Deputy Inspector General shall be appointed by the Chief Minister from amongst the officers BPS-20 of the Service or from amongst BS-20/19 officers of Pakistan Administrative Service or Police Service of Pakistan or Executive Provincial Civil Service or Provincial Management Service and shall perform such functions in the manner as prescribed under the rules.

(2) The Assistant Inspector General shall be appointed by the Minister for Prisons from amongst the BPS-18 officers of the Service and shall perform such functions in the manner as prescribed under the rules.”

4. In the said Act, for section 17, the following shall be substituted:- **Substitution of section 17 of Sindh Act No.X of 2019.**

“17. **Officer In-charge.** The Senior Superintendents Prisons or Superintendents Prisons shall be appointed and posted by the Minister for Prisons, as the Officers In-Charge form amongst the BS-19/18 officers of the Service, Police Service of Pakistan and Sindh Police and shall perform such functions in the manner as prescribed under the rules.”

5. The Sindh Prisons and Corrections Services (Amendment) Ordinance, 2025, is hereby repealed. **Repeal.**

BY ORDER OF THE SPEAKER
PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH

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PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH