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PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF WEST PAKISTAN  
NOTIFICATION

The 15th March, 1969.

No. PAWP/Legis-(95)/68/53—The Land Acquisition (West Pakistan Amendment) Bill, 1968, having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of West Pakistan on the 13th day of February, 1969 and assented to by the Governor of West Pakistan on the 8th day of March, 1969 is hereby published as an Act of the Provincial Legislature of West Pakistan.

THE LAND ACQUISITION (WEST PAKISTAN  
AMENDMENT) ACT, 1969.

WEST PAKISTAN ACT NO. III OF 1969.

(First published, after having received the assent of the Governor of West Pakistan, in the Gazette of West Pakistan (Extraordinary), dated the 15th March, 1969).

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ACT

*to amend the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 in its application to the Province of West Pakistan.*

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 in its application to the Province of West Pakistan;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the Land Acquisition (West Pakistan Amendment) Act, 1969. Preamble.

(2) It extends to the whole of the Province of West Pakistan except the Tribal Areas. Short title and extent.

2. In the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, (Act I of 1894), in its application to the Province of West Pakistan— Amendment of sections 28 and 34 of Act I of 1894.

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(a) in section 28, for the words "interest on such excess at the rate of six per centum", the words "compound interest on such excess at the rate of eight per centum" shall be substituted; and the following proviso be added at the end:—

"Provided that in all cases where the Court has directed that Collector shall pay interest on such excess at the rate of six per centum from the date on which possession was taken and the payment of compensation or a part thereof has not been made up to the commencement of the Land Acquisition (West Pakistan Amendment) Act, 1969, the rate of compound interest on such excess or balance shall be eight per centum."

(b) in section 34, for the words "interest thereon at the rate of six per centum", the words "compound interest at the rate of eight per centum" shall be substituted; and for the full-stop appearing at the end a colon shall be substituted and the following proviso be added thereafter, namely:—

"Provided that any Waiver of the above right by the landowner shall be void and he shall be entitled to the said interest notwithstanding any agreement to the contrary."

By Order of the

SPEAKER,

Provincial Assembly of West Pakistan.

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MUHAMMAD IQBAL

SECRETARY,

Provincial Assembly of West Pakistan.