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# PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PUNJAB

#### NOTIFICATION

4 May 2021

No.PAP/Legis-2(119)/2021/,2523The Provincial Assembly of the Punjab, in its sitting held on 4th May 2021, passed the following constitutional resolution moved by Mr Muhammad Basharat Raja, Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs, under Article 128(2)(a) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan; and the same is published for general information under rule 127(5) of the Rules of Procedure of the Provincial Assembly of the Punjab, 1997:

#### "RESOLUTION

The Provincial Assembly of the Punjab extends the period of validity of the Punjab Civil Servants (Amendment) Ordinance 2021 (XXII of 2021), promulgated on 03 May 2021, for a further period of ninety days with effect from 1 August 2021".

MUHAMMAD KHAN BHATTI Secretary



LAHORE MONDAY MAY 03, 2021

## GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB LAW AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

# NOTIFICATION

## 03 May 2021

No.Legis:13-20/2002(P-I): The following Ordinance promulgated by Governor of the Punjab is hereby published for general information:

THE PUNJAB CIVIL SERVANTS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 2021

(XXXII OF 2021)

#### An Ordinance

to amend the Punjab Civil Servants Act, 1974.

It is necessary to amend the Punjab Civil Servants Act, 1974 (VIII of 1974) for the purpose of modifying provisions relating to retirement of civil servants.

Provincial Assembly of the Punjab is not in session and Governor of the Punjab is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action.

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In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (1) of Article 128 of Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Governor of the Punjab is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:

- Short title and commencement.- (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Punjab Civil Servants (Amendment) Ordinance 2021.
  - (2) This Ordinance shall come into force at once.
- Amendment of section 12 of Act VIII of 1974.- In the Punjab Civil Servants Act, 1974 (VIII of 1974), in section 12, in subsection (1), for clause (ii), the following shall be substituted:
  - "(ii) where no direction is given under clause (i):
    - (a) on completion of the sixtleth year of his age; or
    - (b) voluntarily, on completion of twenty five years of service or on attaining fifty five years of age, whichever is later.".

(MOHAMMAD SARWAR) GOVERNOR OF THE PUNJAB

30 /04/2021

BAHADAR ALI KHAN

Secretary

Government of the Punjab
aw and Parliamentary Affairs Department

## OROGINAL VERSION OF THE PUNJAB CIVIL SERVANTS ACT, 1974 Punjab Act No. VIII of 1974.

#### NOW AMENDED ON 04-05-2021

- 12. Retirement from service
- 1) Civil servant shall retire from service –
- (i) on such date after he has completed twenty years of service qualifying for pension or other retirement benefits as the competent authority may, in public interest, direct; or
- (ii) where no direction is given under clause (i) on the completion of the sixtieth year of his age.
- (2) No direction under clause (i) of sub-section (1) shall be made until the Civil Servant has been informed in writing of the grounds on which it is proposed to make the direction and has been given a reasonable opportunity of showing cause against the said direction.

### **Explanation:**

In this section "competent authority" means the appointing authority prescribed in rule 6 of the Punjab Civil Servants (Appointment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 1974.