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PART I

Acts, Ordinances, President's Orders and Regulations

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE, HUMAN RIGHTS AND  
PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

(Law, Justice and Human Rights Division)

*Islamabad, the 17th June, 2002*

F. No. 2(4)/2002-Pub.—The following Order promulgated by the Chief Executive is hereby published for general information :—

CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ORDER NO. 15 OF 2002

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ORDER

*further to amend the Conduct of General Elections Order, 2002*

WHEREAS it is expedient to further to amend the Conduct of General Elections Order, 2002 (Chief Executive's Order No. 7 of 2002), for the purposes hereinafter appearing :

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Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the Proclamation of Emergency of the fourteenth day of October, 1999, and the Provisional Constitution Order No. 1 of 1999; and in exercise of all powers enabling him in that behalf, the Chief Executive of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan is pleased to make and promulgate the following Order :

1. Short title and Commencement.—(1) This Order may be called the Conduct of General Elections (Second Amendment) Order, 2002.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Insertion of new Articles 7B and 7C, Chief Executive's Order No. 7 of 2002.—In the Conduct of General Elections Order, 2002 (Chief Executive's Order No. 7 of 2002), after Article 7A, the following new Articles shall be inserted, namely :—

"7B. *Status of Ahmadis etc. to remain unchanged.*—Notwithstanding anything contained in the Electoral Rolls Act, 1974 (XXI of 1974), the Electoral Rolls Rules, 1974, or any other law for the time being in force, including the Forms prescribed for preparation of electoral rolls on joint electorate basis in pursuance of Article 7 of the Conduct of General Elections Order, 2002 (Chief Executive's Order No. 7 of 2002), the status of Qadiani Group or the Lahori Group (who call themselves 'Ahmadis' or by any other name) or a person who does not believe in the absolute and unqualified finality of the Prophethood of Muhammad (peace be upon him), the last of the prophets or claimed or claims to be a Prophet, in any sense of the word or of any description whatsoever, after Muhammad (peace be upon him) or recognizes such a claimant as a Prophet or a religious reformer shall remain the same as provided in the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973."

"7C.—If a person has got himself enrolled as voter and objection is filed before the Revising Authority notified under the Electoral Rolls Act, 1974, within ten days from issuance of the Conduct of General Elections (Second Amendment) Order, 2002, that such a voter is not a Muslim, the Revising Authority shall issue a notice to him to appear before it within fifteen days and require him to sign a declaration regarding his belief about the absolute and unqualified finality of the Prophethood of Muhammad (peace be upon him) in Form-IV prescribed under the Electoral Rolls Rules, 1974. In case he refuses,

to sign the declaration as aforesaid, he shall be deemed to be a non-Muslim and his name shall be deleted from the joint electoral rolls and added to a supplementary list of voters in the same electoral area as non-Muslim. In case the voter does not turn up in spite of service of notice, an *ex parte* order may be passed against him."

حلف نامہ و اقرار نامہ

میں ملتزم: قرار کرنا کرتی ہوں کہ میں خاتم النبیین حضرت محمد ﷺ کی قسم لیت پر مکمل اور غیر مشروط طور پر ایمان رکھتا/رکتی ہوں۔ اور یہ کہ میں کسی ایسے شخص کا/کی بیوہ کار نہیں ہوں جو حضرت محمد ﷺ کے بعد اس لفظ کے کسی بھی منہجیم یا کسی بھی تشریح کے لحاظ سے پیغمبر ہونے کا دوا بدلا ہو۔ اور نہ ہی میں ایسے دوا بدلا کو پیغمبر یا نبی مسلح انا/انتی ہوں۔ نہ ہی میں قادیانی گردپ یا لاہوری گردپ سے تعلق رکھتا/رکتی ہوں یا خود کو احمدی کہتا/کتی ہوں۔

Sd/-

GENERAL,  
PERVEZ MUSHARRAF,  
Chief Executive  
of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan  
And Chief of Army Staff.

Sd/-

MR. JUSTICE,  
MANSOOR AHMED,  
Secretary.