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**PART I**

**Acts, Ordinances, President's Orders and Regulations**

**GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN  
LAW AND JUSTICE DIVISION**

*Islamabad, the 2nd September, 2021*

No. F. 2(1)/2021-Pub.— The following Ordinance Promulgated on 31st August, 2021 by the President is hereby published for general information:—

**ORDINANCE NO. XIX OF 2021**

**AN**

**ORDINANCE**

*to amend the Pakistan Council of Research in Water Resources*

WHEREAS, it is expedient to amend the Pakistan Council of Research in Water Resources Act, 2007;

AND WHEREAS, the Senate and the National Assembly are not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

(597)

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NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 89 of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, the President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**— (1) This Ordinance shall be called the Pakistan Council of Research in Water Resources (Amendment) Ordinance, 2021.

2. It shall come into force at once.

1. **Substitution of Section 16, Act I of 2007.**— In the said Act, for Section 16, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

16. **Appointments.**— (1) The Council may appoint such employees as it may consider necessary for the efficient performance of its functions on such terms and conditions as may be prescribed.

(2) All appointments and promotions in the Council shall be in accordance with the service rules and regulations of the Council.

(3) The Council may engage experts, advisers and consultants on contract on such terms and conditions as it may determine.

DR. ARIF ALVI,  
*President.*

RAJA NAEEM AKBAR,  
*Secretary.*