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PART I

Acts, Ordinances, President's Orders and Regulations

SENATE SECRETARIAT

Islamabad, the 6th December, 1997

No. F. 9(46)/97-Legis.—The following Acts of Majlis-e-Shoora (Parliament) received the assent of the Acting President on the 3rd December, 1997, are hereby published for general information :—

An Act further to amend the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1950

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1950 (XXXIX of 1950) for the purposes hereinafter appearing ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Act may be called the Imports and Exports (Control) (Amendment) Act, 1997.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Amendment of section 5, Act XXXIX of 1950.**—In the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1950 (XXXIX of 1950), the existing section 5, shall be renumbered as sub-section (1) of that section and thereafter the following sub-sections shall be added, namely :—

“(2) If any person contravenes any provision of any order made or deemed to have been made under this Act or the rules, schemes or

policies made thereunder or makes use of an export licence otherwise than in accordance with any condition subject to which it was granted, the Federal Government, or any officer authorized by it, may suspend, adjust, deduct or cancel the whole or, as the case may be, any part of export quotas whether granted to or acquired by such person on the basis of performance, purchase or by any other means whatsoever, and suspend or as the case may be, cancel the export registration of such person.

- (3) No order under sub-section (2) shall be passed unless the concerned person has been given an opportunity of being heard.”.

ABDUL QAYYUM KHAN,
Secretary.