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PART I

Acts, Ordinances, President's Orders and Regulations

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

Islamabad, the 5th March, 1974

The following Acts of Parliament received the assent of the President on the 1st March, 1974, and are hereby published for general information :—

An Act further to amend the Succession Act, 1925

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Succession Act, 1925 (XXXIX of 1925), for the purposes hereinafter appearing :

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. Short title, extent and commencement.—(1) This Act may be called the Succession (Amendment) Act, 1974.

(2) It extends to the whole of Pakistan.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of section 211, Act XXXIX of 1925.—In the Succession Act, 1925 (XXXIX of 1925), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in section 211, in sub-section (2), for the words " or Jaina " the comma and words " , Jaina or Parsi " shall be substituted.

3. Amendment of section 212, Act XXXIX of 1925.—In the said Act, in section 212, in sub-section (2), after the word " Jaina ", the comma and word " , Parsi " shall be inserted.

4. Amendment of section 213, Act XXXIX of 1925.—In the said Act, in section 213, for sub-section (2) the following shall be substituted, namely :—

" (2) This section shall not apply in the case of wills made by Muhammadans, and shall only apply—

(a) in the case of wills made by any Hindu, Buddhist, Sikh or Jaina, where such wills are of the classes specified in clauses (a) and (b) of section 57 ; and

(b) in the case of wills made by any Parsi dying after the commencement of the Succession (Amendment) Act, 1974, where such wills are made within the local limits of the ordinary civil jurisdiction of the Sind and Baluchistan High Court, and where such wills are made outside those limits, in so far as they relate to immovable property situate within those limits."