

ORDINANCE XVIII OF 2001

**SINDH WILDLIFE PROTECTION (SECOND AMENDMENT)
ORDINANCE, 2001**

*An Ordinance to further amend the Sindh Wildlife
Protection Ordinance, 1972*

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No.S.Legis 1(18)/2001, dated 1-6-2001.--The following Ordinance made by the Governor of Sindh is hereby published for general information:-

Preamble.--Whereas it is expedient to amend the Sindh Wildlife Protection Ordinance, 1972 in the manner hereinafter appearing;

And whereas the Provincial Assembly stands suspended in pursuance of the Proclamation of the Fourteenth day of October, 1999, and the Provisional Constitution Order No.1 of 1999;

And whereas the Governor of Sindh is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the aforesaid proclamation and the Provisional Constitution Order read with Provisional Constitution (Amendment) Order No.9 of 1999, and in exercise of all powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor of Sindh is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:--

1. **Short title and commencement.--**(1) This Ordinance may be called the Sindh Wildlife Protection (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2001.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Amendment of section 14 of Sindh Ordinance V of 1972.**--In the Sindh Wildlife Protection Ordinance, 1972, hereinafter referred to as the said Ordinance, in section 14, in subsection (3), in the second proviso thereto, the full stop at the end shall be replaced by colon and thereafter the following new proviso shall be added:

"Provided also that this subsection shall not apply to any activity in a wildlife sanctuary in connection with the exploration or production of oil or gas which is undertaken in accordance with an environmental impact assessment, as defined in the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 (Act XXXIV of 1997)."

3. **Amendment of section 15 of Sindh Ordinance No.V of 1972.**--In the said Ordinance, in section 15, in subsection (4), in the second proviso thereto the full-stop at the end shall be replaced by colon and thereafter the following new proviso shall be added:

"Provided also that this subsection shall not apply to any activity in a national park in connection with the exploration or production of oil or gas which is undertaken in accordance with an environmental impact assessment, as defined in the Pakistan Environmental Protection Act, 1997 (Act XXXIV of 1997)."