



THE ISLAMABAD (PRESERVATION OF LANDSCAPE) ORDINANCE, 1966



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[27th January, 1966]

An Ordinance to provide for the preservation of landscape in Islamabad.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the preservation of landscape in Islamabad;

AND WHEREAS clause (4) of Article 131 of the Constitution provides that the Central Legislature shall have power to make laws for the Islamabad Capital Territory with respect to any matter not enumerated in the Third Schedule to the Constitution;

AND WHEREAS the National Assembly is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render immediate legislation necessary;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 29 of the Constitution read with clause (4) of Article 131 thereof and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the President is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :—

1. Short title, extent and commencement.—(1) This Ordinance may be called the Islamabad (Preservation of Landscape) Ordinance, 1966.

(2) It extends to the Islamabad Capital Territory.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. Definitions. In this Ordinance, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(a) “landscape” includes earth, land, clay, rock, boulders, shingles, pebbles and any other substance over the surface of land, and grass, weeds, bushes, hedges, plants, standing trees, undergrowth and all objects of natural beauty visible to the eye; and

(b) all other words and expressions have the meaning assigned to them in the Capital Development Authority Ordinance, 1960 (XXIII of 1960).

¹ Approved by the National Assembly of Pakistan on the 10th March, 1966, see Gaz. of P., 1966, Ext., p. 112.