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An Act

to amend the Transplantation of Human Organs and Tissues Act, 2010.

Preamble.– Whereas it is expedient to amend the Transplantation of Human Organs and Tissues Act, 2010 (VI of 2010) for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is enacted as follows:-

- **1. Short title and commencement**.— (1) This Act may be cited as the Punjab Transplantation of Human Organs and Tissues (Amendment) Act 2012.
 - (2) It shall come into force with effect from the first day of November 2012.
- **2. Amendment in Act VI of 2010.** In the Transplantation of Human Organs and Tissues Act, 2010 (VI of 2010), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, for the words "Federal Government", wherever occur, the word "Government" shall be substituted.
- **3.** Amendment in section 1 of Act VI of 2010.— In the said Act, in section 1, in subsection (2), for the word "Pakistan", the words "the Punjab" shall be substituted.
- **4.** Amendment in section 2 of Act VI of 2010.— In the said Act, in section 2, after clause (d), the following new clause (dd) shall be inserted:-
 - "(dd) "Government" means Government of the Punjab;"
- **5.** Amendment in section 8 of Act VI of 2010.— In the said Act, in section 8, for subsection (1), the following shall be substituted:-
 - "(1) The Government shall, by notification in the official Gazette, constitute a Monitoring Authority consisting of the following:-
 - (i) Minister for Health or a nominee of the Chairperson Chief Minister
 - (ii) Secretary to the Government, Health Department Member/Secretary
 - (iii) Secretary to the Government, Home Department Member or his representative not below the rank of Additional Secretary;
 - (iv) President, Transplantation Society Member of Pakistan or his nominee;

- (v) Executive Director, Pakistan Medical Member Research Council or his nominee;
- (vi) President, Ophthalmologic Society of Pakistan Member or his nominee;
- (vii) President, Pakistan Medical Association of Pakistan Member or his nominee;
- (viii) President, Pakistan Society of Gastroenterology Member or his nominee;
- (ix) Surgical Transplant Specialist Member nominated by the Government; and
- (x) Chairperson of the Punjab Health Care Commission or a nominee of the Health Care Commission;
- (xi) any other outstanding Medical Specialist Member" nominated by the Government.
- 6. Amendment in section 18 of Act VI of 2010.— In the said Act, in section 18—
 - (a) for the word "President", the word "Government" shall be substituted; and
 - (b) for the word "he", the word "it" shall be substituted.
- **7. Repeal.–** The Punjab Transplantation of Human Organs and Tissues Ordinance 2012 (I of 2012), is hereby repealed.