PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PUNJAB

NOTIFICATION

June 30, 2016

No.PAP/Legis-2(127)/2016/1449. The Punjab Local Government (Fourth Amendment) Bill 2016, having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of the Punjab on June 27, 2016, and assented to by the Governor of the Punjab on June 29, 2016, is hereby published as an Act of the Provincial Assembly of the Punjab.

THE PUNJAB LOCAL GOVERNMENT (FOURTH AMENDMENT) ACT 2016

ACT XXXVI OF 2016

[First published, after having received the assent of the Governor of the Punjab, in the Gazette of the Punjab (Extraordinary) dated June 30, 2016.]

An Act

further to amend the Punjab Local Government Act 2013.

An amendment in the Punjab Local Government Act 2013 (XVIII of 2013) is required to empower a rural Union Council with urban characteristics to levy property tax within its areas in addition to other urban local governments.

Be it enacted by Provincial Assembly of the Punjab as follows:

- **1. Short title and commencement**.— (1) This Act may be cited as the Punjab Local Government (Fourth Amendment) Act 2016.
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.
- **2.** Amendment in section 116 of Act XVIII of 2013.— In the Punjab Local Government Act 2013 (XVIII of 2013), in section 116, for subsection (3), the following shall be substituted:
 - "(3) If a Metropolitan Corporation, a Municipal Corporation, a Municipal Committee or a rural Union Council with urban characteristics has not determined the rate of property tax within its area, the property tax shall be levied in accordance with the provisions of the Punjab Urban Immovable Property Tax Act, 1958 (V of 1958)."

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