

**<sup>1</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] SALINITY CONTROL AND  
RECLAMATION OF LAND RULES, 1989**

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No. IRR: SO(P)/6-81/86/12177, dated 11-12-1989.--In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the <sup>3</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] Salinity Control and Reclamation of Land Act, 1988 (<sup>4</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] Act No.VI of 1988), the Government of the <sup>5</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] is pleased to make the following rules for carrying out the purpose of the said Act, namely:—

1. **Short title and commencement:-** (1) These rules may be called the <sup>6</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] Salinity Control and Reclamation of Land Rules, 1989.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. **Definitions.**—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say—

(a) "Act" means the <sup>7</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] Salinity Control and Reclamation of Land Act, 1988 (<sup>8</sup>[Khyber Pakhtunkhwa] Act VI of 1988);

(b) "Division" means a Canal division under the charge of a Divisional Canal Officer;

(c) "Divisional Canal Officer" means an officer exercising control over a canal division; and

(d) "Section" means a section of the Act.

3. **Procedure for application.**—(1) Any person making an application under section 4 or section 5 shall address his application to the Divisional Canal Officer, who shall examine the feasibility of the request made therein and shall forward the case to the Authority, alongwith his recommendations, for appropriate orders of the Authority.

(2) Where an application relates to framing of a scheme under section 4 and the Divisional Canal Officer, after due scrutiny, is satisfied about the feasibility and urgency of the scheme, he shall also frame a scheme, for the approval of the Authority.

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<sup>1</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>2</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>3</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>4</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>5</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>6</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>7</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

<sup>8</sup> Sub. by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. IV of 2011.

(3) The Authority shall pass such orders on the recommendations of the Divisional Canal Officer, received by him under sub-rule (2), as he may deem fit.

(4) Persons seeking permission for plantation of deep-rooted trees or erection of permanent structure or building within the area included in a scheme shall be informed of the decision of the Authority through registered letter.

4. **Compensation.--** Claim, if any for compensation under section 7 shall be made to the Collector of the District concerned within 30 days from the date the damage was actually caused to the claimant; provided that the Collector may admit a claim for assessment if, for reasons to be recorded in writing, he is satisfied that it was not reasonably practicable for the claimant to make the claim within the specified period or thereafter till the date the claim had actually been made.