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STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

BILL

further to amend the Federal Public Service Commission Ordinance, 1977

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Federal Public Service Commission Ordinance, 1977 (XLV of 1977), for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. Short title and commencement. — (1) This Act may be called the Federal Public Service Commission (Amendment) Act, 2014.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Amendment of section 5, Ordinance XLV of 1977. — In the Federal Public Service Commission Ordinance, 1977 (XLV of 1977), in section 5, for the full-stop at the end a colon shall be substituted and thereafter the following proviso shall be added, namely:-

“Provided that the President may allow further employment of such member to a constitutional office in public interest.”.

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The Bill seeks to amend the Federal Public Service Commission Ordinance, 1977 (XLV of 1977) with the objective to attract the highly qualified and skilled persons to join the Commission. Presently, the members of the Commission, upon completion of term, are not eligible for further employment in the service of Pakistan. This is discouraging well qualified persons to join the Commission on one hand and is an impediment in benefiting from the experience of well qualified persons for the public service later on, if their further employment is required to a constitutional office in public interest.

- 2. The Bill is designed to achieve the aforesaid objective.

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