

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LAW AND JUSTICE ON THE SUPERIOR COURTS (Court Dress and Mode of Address) ORDER (REPEAL)BILL, 2019

I, the Chairman of Standing Committee on Law and Justice, have the honour to present this report on the Bill to Repeal the President's Order, No.15 of 1980 (P.O No.15 of 1980) [The Superior Courts(Court Dress and Mode of Address) Order (Repeal)Bill, 2019] (Government Bill) referred to the Committee on 13th September, 2019.


2. The Committee comprises the following:-

1. Mr. Riaz Fatyana	Chairman
2. Mr. Atta Ullah	Member
3. Mr. Lal Chand	Member
4. Mr. Muhammad Farooq Azam Malik	Member
5. Ms. Kishwer Zehra	Member
6. Ms. Maleeka Ali Bokhari	Member
7. Mr. Muhammad Sana Ullah Khan Masti Khel	Member
8. Malik Muhammad Ehsan Ullah Tiwana	Member
9. Agha Hassan Baloch	Member
10. Mr. Sher Ali Arbab	Member
11. Ms. Shunila Ruth	Member
12. Mr. Saad Waseem	Member
13. Rana Sana Ullah Khan	Member
14. Ch. Mehmood Bashir Virk	Member
15. Mr. Usman Ibrahim	Member
16. Khawaja Saad Rafique	Member
17. Syed Hussain Tariq	Member
18. Syed Naveed Qamar	Member
19. Dr. Nafisa Shah	Member
20. Ms. Aliya Kamran	Member
21. Barrister Dr. Muhammad Farogh Naseem Minister for Law and Justice	Ex-officio Member

3. The Committee considered the Bill as introduced in the National Assembly placed at Annex-A, in its meeting held on 30th October, 2019. The Committee recommends that the Bill as introduced may be passed by the Assembly.

Sd/-
TAHIR HUSSAIN
Secretary
Islamabad, the 26th November, 2019

Sd/-
(RIAZ FATYANA)
Chairman


16.12.19
4:00 PM

AS REPORTED BY THE STANDING COMMITTEE

A

Bill

to repeal the President's Order No.15 of 1980

Whereas it is expedient to repeal the Superior Courts (Court Dress and Mode of Address) Order, 1980 (P.O. No.15 of 1980);

It is hereby enacted as follows:

1. Short title and commencement.— (1) This Act may be called the Superior Courts (Court Dress and Mode of Address) Order (Repeal) Act, 2019.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Repeal of President's Order No.15 of 1980.— The Superior Courts (Court Dress and Mode of Address) Order, 1980 (P.O. No.15 of 1980), is hereby repealed.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

Article 191 and 202 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan empower Supreme Court and High Court to make rules regulating its own practice and procedure. Therefore, the matter relating to Court dress and mode of address to judges may be regulated by the Superior Courts.

Minister-in-Charge