

PART I

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, PUNJAB

NOTIFICATION

The 27th July, 2017

No.18-Leg./2017.- The following Act of the Legislature of the State of Punjab received the assent of the Governor of Punjab on the 17th day of July, 2017, is hereby published for general information:-

THE PUNJAB MUNICIPAL (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017.

(Punjab Act No. 14 of 2017)

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further to amend the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911.

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Punjab in the Sixty-eighth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Act, 2017. Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall come into force on and with effect from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911, in section 8, for sub-sections (2) and (3), the following sub-sections shall be substituted, namely:- Amendment in section 8 of Punjab Act 3 of 1911.

"(2) One half of the total number of seats reserved under clause (a) of sub-section (1) shall be reserved for women belonging to the Scheduled Castes:

Provided that a fraction of a seat shall not be treated as a seat for the purpose of reservation.

(3) One half (including the number of seats reserved for women belonging to the Scheduled Castes) of the total number of seats to be filled by direct election in every Municipality shall be reserved for women and such seats may be allotted by rotation to different constituencies to be known as wards in the Municipality:

Provided that a fraction of a seat shall not be treated as a seat for the purpose of reservation."

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