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ORDINANCE NO. XIX OF 2019

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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);

AND WHEREAS the Senate and the National Assembly are not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 89 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, the President is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**— (1) This Ordinance may be called the Superior Courts (Court Dress and Mode of Address) Order (Repeal) Ordinance, 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No.15 of 1980.**— The Superior Courts (Court Dress and Mode of Address) Order, 1980 (P.O. No. 15 of 1980), is hereby repealed.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 empowers 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.

2. The Bill is designed to achieve the aforesaid object

Minister-In-Charge