A BILL

further to amend the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act, 2013

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act, 2013 (Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. XXVIII of 2013), for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:

- 1. Short title and commencement.---(1) This Act may be called the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government (Amendment) Bill, 2017.
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.
- 2. Amendment in section 35 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. XXVIII of 2013.---In the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act, 2013 (Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. XXVIII of 2013), in section 35, after sub-section (4), the following new sub-section shall be inserted, namely:
 - "(4A) Where the local council or local government, as the case may be, does not exist due to non-election, Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, authorize the Deputy Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner or Assistant Director, Local Government and Rural Development Department, at the level of concerned district, tehsil or village council/neighborhood council, respectively, to perform the functions, relating to the utilization of the budget within its respective jurisdiction as per parameters, specified in the Planning and Development Guidelines, for the time being in force."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

It is desirable to amend the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act, 2013 (Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Act No. XXVIII of 2013). Hence, this Bill.

Peshawar, dated the

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Senior Minister for Local Government Election & Rural Development Deott: (Khyber Pakhunkhwa)

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