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PART I

Acts, Ordinances, President's Orders and Regulations

SENATE SECRETARIAT

Islamabad, the 3rd March, 2022

No. F. 9(2)/2022-Legis.—The following Act of *Majlis-e-Shoora* (Parliament) received the assent of the President on 28th February, 2022 and is hereby published for general information:—

ACT NO. VII OF 2022

An Act further to amend the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002

WHEREAS, it is expedient further to amend the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002 (XVII of 2002), for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Act shall be called the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (Amendment) Act, 2022.

(77)

Price: Rs. 5.00

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(2) It shall come into force at once

2. **Amendment of section 8, Ordinance XVII of 2002.**—In the Oil and Gas Regularity Authority Ordinance, 2002 (XVII of 2002), in section 8,—

(a) In sub-section (3), for full stop at the end, a colon shall be substituted and thereafter the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

“Provided that the Federal Government shall ensure that the sale prices so advised are not less than the revenue requirement determined by the Authority.”, and

(b) for sub-sections (4) and (5), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“(4) If the Federal Government fails to advise the Authority within the time specified in sub-section (3), the category wise prescribed prices so determined by the Authority under sub-sections (1) and (2), as the case may be, shall be notified by the Authority as the category wise sale prices.

(5) Each licensee for natural gas shall pay to the Federal Government the development surcharge in respect of each unit of natural gas sold in a manner as prescribed by the Federal Government under the Natural Gas (Development Surcharge) Ordinance, 1967 (I of 1967) and the rules made thereunder. Any amount paid by a licensee under this sub-section shall be an expenditure for which allowance shall be made in computing profits or gains under the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001 (XLIX of 2001) for the purposes of this sub-section.”

MOHAMMAD QASIM SAMAD KHAN,
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No. F. 9(3)/2022-Legis.—The following Act of *Majlis-e-Shoora* (Parliament) received the assent of the President on 28th February, 2022 and is hereby published for general information:—

ACT NO. VIII OF 2022

An Act further to amend the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002

WHEREAS, it is expedient further to amend the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002 (XVII of 2002), for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Act shall be called the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (Second Amendment) Act, 2022.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

(79)

Price: Rs. 5.00

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2. **Amendment of section 2, Ordinance XVII of 2002.**—In the Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002 (XVII of 2002), hereinafter referred to as the said Ordinance, in section 2, in sub-section (1),—

- (a) in clause (xvii), after the words “products resulting from processing of gas”, the expression “including RLNG” shall be inserted; and
- (b) after clause (xxxv), the following new clause (xxxva) shall be inserted, namely:—

“(xxxva) “RLNG” means re-gasified LNG;”.

3. **Amendment of section 8, Ordinance XVII of 2002.**—In the said Ordinance, in section 8,—

- (a) in sub-section (2), after the words “as notified by the Authority”, the words “cost of imported gases” shall be inserted;
- (b) in sub-section (4), for the full stop at the end a colon shall be substituted and thereafter the following new proviso shall be added, namely:—

“Provided that sub-sections (1) to (4) shall not be applicable in case of RLNG price determined under section 43B.”.

4. **Amendment of section 9, Ordinance XVII of 2002.**—In the said Ordinance, in section 9, the existing provision of section 9 shall be numbered as sub-section (1) thereof and thereafter the following new sub-section (2) shall be added, namely:—

- “(2) The Authority may decide, without giving notice to the public and without holding a public hearing, if the prescribed price is required to be revised only on account of revision in well-head gas prices and cost of imported gases.”.

5. **Insertion of section 43B, Ordinance XVII of 2002.**—In the said Ordinance, after section 43A, the following new section shall be inserted, namely:—

“43B. **Sale price of RLNG.**—Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Ordinance or any other law for the time being in force, the Authority, in accordance with the policy guidelines issued by the Federal Government from time to time, shall determine and notify the sale price of RLNG to be charged by a licensee from its consumer.”.

MOHAMMAD QASIM SAMAD KHAN,
Secretary.

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