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GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
ISLAMABAD CAPITAL TERRITORY

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 2nd December, 2019

No. 7(11)-DDF-Vol-II-853.—In exercise of the powers conferred under section 2(d) and Section 26 of the West Pakistan Fisheries Ordinance 1961, read with the Islamabad Capital Territory (Administration) Order, 1980 (P.O. No. 18 of 1980), and all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Chief Commissioner, Islamabad Capital Territory, is pleased to reconstitute Rule 15 of the West Pakistan Fisheries Rule 1965 as under:—

Rule-15

- (i) All apparatus erected or used for fishing in contravention of the Ordinance or these Rules, when seized under Section 16, shall be taken to the store of the Inspector Fisheries / Assistant Warden Fisheries and he shall make inventory of such item taken by him.

(1265)

Price: Rs. 5.00

[5926(2020)/Ex. Gaz.].

- (ii) The Deputy Director (Fisheries), after recording statements of the complainant, Inspector Fisheries/Assistant Warden Fisheries who seized the said apparatus and the person(s) involved in utilizing such apparatus in contravention of the Ordinance, or the Rules, may decide and issue orders for confiscation or otherwise of any such fish net, trap cage, or other apparatus for taking fish or fixed engine and boat used in the commission of an offence under the said Ordinance.
- (iii) The apparatus and other equipments confiscated under Sub-Rule (ii) above shall be auctioned and disposed of by a Committee constituted by the Director (Fisheries/AES) ICT.
- (iv) In case the Deputy Director (Fisheries), after examining statements/record of all stakeholders, as per Sub-Rule (ii), decides not to confiscate such apparatus and equipments utilized in fishing etc. but to impose fine on violators of the Ordinance and the Rules, he may impose fine as assessed or determined by him, with the approval of Director (Fisheries/AES) ICT, provided that the fine does not exceed the value of such apparatus / equipments.
- (v) Any person / persons aggrieved of the decision/order issued by the Deputy Director (Fisheries) in pursuance of Sub-Rule (ii), (iii) and (iv), may file a Appeal to the Director (Fisheries/AES) within a period of 30 days, who shall decide such Appeal on the basis of record, facts and merits of the case.

2. This issues in supersession of this office earlier Notification No.106(I)/2016, dated 3rd February, 2016.

BY ORDER OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
ISLAMABAD CAPITAL TERRITORY

SYED TARIF HUSSAIN,
Deputy Director (Admin).