ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 10th September, 2021.

No. F.11(1)/2021-LGE(C).-- In pursuance of the provisions of Article-218(3) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and in exercise of powers under sub-section (5) of Section 58 of the Cantonments Ordinance, 2002 read with Rule-12 of the Cantonments Local Government (Election) Rules, 2015, the Election Commission hereby authorizes, each designated officer in-charge of Pakistan Rangers / FC of an area, deployed for providing security outside polling stations of that area of the Cantonment Board, to exercise powers of Magistrate First Class on the Polling Day i.e. 12.09.2021 in respect of offences punishable under Section-77, Section-78, Section-79 & Section-80 of the Cantonments Ordinance, 2002 (as amended from time to time) and to take cognizance of any such offence under any of the clauses of sub-section (1) of Section-190 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 and to try any such offence in a summary way in accordance with the provisions of the said Code, relating to summary trials.

2. Pakistan Rangers / FC Personnel deployed outside of a polling station while performing their security duties are supposed to first report to the Presiding Officer any irregularity/malpractice, they observe outside the polling station and act according to the instructions issued by him in that regard. In case, the Presiding Officer does not act to prevent the commission of any reported irregularity/malpractice, the security staff will immediately bring the matter to the notice of the designated Pakistan Rangers / FC officer in-charge of an area of the said constituency for action in light of the powers delegated to him under this Notification, as he deems appropriate.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

(Abdul Hafeez) Director (LGE)

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ECP, Secretariat, Islamabad

(Naeem Ahmed) Deputy Director (LGE-P)