No. DC/L/VII/63-73/81- In pursuance of paragraph 11 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India, the following Act passed by the District Council of the Khasi Hills Autonomous District, is hereby published for general information.

THE KHASI HILLS AUTONOMOUS DISTRICT COUNCIL CHAIRMAN'S, DEPUTY CHAIRMAN'S AND EXECUTIVE MEMBERS' (SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES) ACT, 1973.

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AN ACT

to determine the salaries and allowances of the Chairman, Deputy Chairman and Executive Members of the District Council of the Khasi Hills Autonomous District.

Be it enacted by the District Council, Khasi Hills Autonomous District in the Twenty-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. Short title, extent and commencement - (a) This Act may be called the Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council Chairman's Deputy Chairman's and Executive Members' (Salaries and Allowances) Act, 1973.

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(b) It extends to the whole of the Khasi Hills Autonomous District.

(c) It shall come into force on such date as the Executive Committee of the District Council may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint.

2. Definition – In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires:-

(a) "District Council" means the Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council.

(b) "Official Gazette" means the Gazette of Meghalaya.

3. Salary of the Chairman – With effect from the date on which he was appointed Chairman of the District Council there shall be paid to him:-

(a) Salary of Rs. 14,500 per mensem.

(b) Allowance in lieu of residence- A house-rent allowance of Rs. 4,500 per mensem until such time when he will be provided with a District Council residential quarter which will be free of rent.

(Section 3 as amended vide 9th Amendment Act, 2001)

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4. Salary of the Deputy Chairman – With effect from the date he was appointed Deputy Chairman of the District Council there shall be paid to him:-

(a) A Salary of Rs.14, 000 per mensem.

(b) Allowance in lieu of residence – A house-rent allowance of Rs. 3,500 per mensem until such time when he will be provided with a District Council residential quarter which will be free of rent.

5. Salary of the Chief Executive Member- With effect from the date on which he was appointed Chief Executive Member of the Executive Committee of the District Council there shall be paid to him:-

(a) A Salary of Rs. 15,000 per mensem.

(b) Allowance in lieu of resident- A house-rent of Rs.5, 000 per mensem until such time when he will be provided with a District Council residential quarter which will be free of rent.

5A. With effect from the date on which he was so appointed as Deputy Chief Executive Member of the Executive Committee of the District Council there shall be paid to him-

(a) a salary of Rs. 14,500.00 per mensem; and (b) a house rent allowance of Rs. 4,500 per mensem until such time as he will be provided with a District Council residential quarter which will be free of rent.

6. Salary of other Executive Member – With effect from the date he was appointed Executive Member of the Executive

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Committee of the District Council there shall be paid to each of the Members of the Executive Committee:-

(a) A Salary of Rs. 14,000 per mensem

(b) Allowance in lieu of residence - A house-rent of Rs. 3,500 per mensem until such time when he will be provided with a District Council residential quarter which will be free of rent.

7. Travelling and Daily Allowance – Every member of the Executive Committee, Chairman while touring on official business shall be entitled to travelling and daily allowance at the rate of Rs. 17.50 p. per diem and travelling allowance and road mileage allowance at the rates admissible to Government Servant of the first grade under the Assam Subsidiary Rules:

Provided that the rate of daily allowance admissible under this section shall be increased by 100 percent in case of halt or halts at any city outside the State of Meghalaya.

8. Savings – The Chairman, the Deputy Chairman and the Members of the Executive Committee who had been appointed prior to the enactment to this Act shall draw the salary and the house rent allowance in accordance with the provision of this Act with effect from the date on which this Act comes into force.

9. Repeal of the act of 1953 – The United Khasi-Jaintia Hills district Council Chairman's Deputy Chairman's and Executive Members' (Salaries and Allowances) Act, 1953 with all amendments are hereby repealed.

(Sections 4, 5 & 6 as amended vide 9th Amendment Act, 2001)

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Certified that this Bill was passed by the Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council on the 30^{th} of July 1973.

B. WANNIANG, Chairman, District Council Khasi Hills Autonomous District, Shillong.

