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Statutory Notifications (S. R. O.)

ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 29th May, 2019

S.R.O. 589(I)/2019.—In exercise of its powers conferred under section 239 of the Elections Act 2017 (Act No.XXXIII of 2017), the Election Commission is pleased to direct that following amendment shall be made in the Election Rules, 2017 namely—

In the Election Rules 2017-

- (A) After sub-rule (2) of rule 93, following new sub-rule (3) shall be inserted:
- "(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (2), if a political party fails to secure any general seat from National Assembly, or, as the case may be, a Provincial Assembly during General Election, the deposit made by a candidate for the seat reserved for women or non-Muslims on behalf of that political party, may be refunded to that candidate, if he or she so applies, under sub-section (5) of section 61."

By Order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

[No. F. 1(2)/2014-Law.]

ASIF ALI YASIN, Deputy Director.

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