IN pursuance of the provisions of clause (3) of article 348 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of the Uttar Pradesh Pichhada Varg Rajya Ayog (Sanskshodhan) Adhiniyam, 2005 (Uttar Pradesh Adhiniyam Sankhya 18 of 2005) as passed by the Uttar Pradesh Legislature and assented to by the Governor on August 4, 2005:

THE UTTAR PRADESH STATE COMMISSION FOR BACKWARD CLASSES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2005
(U.P. Act no. 18 of 2005)
(As passed by the Uttar Pradesh Legislature)

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further to amend the Uttar Pradesh State Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1996.

IT IS HEREBY enacted in the Fifty-sixth Year of the Republic of India.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Uttar Pradesh State Commission for Backward Classes (Amendment) Act, 2005.

2. In section 4 of the Uttar Pradesh State Commission for Backward Classes (Amendment) Act, 1996,-

(a) in sub-section (1) the first proviso shall be omitted and in the second proviso for the words "Provided further that" the words "Provided that" shall be substituted.

(b) sub-sections (1-A) and (1-B) shall be omitted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

Section 4 of the Uttar Pradesh State Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1996 provides for the Constitution of the Commission and the term of office of the Chairman and the members thereof. In accordance with the existing provisions of the said section the Chairman or every member shall hold office for term of three years from the date he assumes office or till the attaining the age of sixty-five years. In order to take advantage of persons of social background having long experience it had been decided to amend the said Act to omit the provision relating to age limit for holding office of the Chairman or the member.

The Uttar Pradesh State Commission for Backward Classes (Amendment) Bill, 2005 is introduced accordingly.

By order,

D.V. SHARMA,

Pramukh Sachiv.