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Local Government Division

Section XI

NOTIFICATION

Dhaka, the 7th December 1983

No. S.R.O. 472-L/83/S-XI/3R-12/83/143.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Local Government (Union Parishads) Ordinance, 1983 (LI of 1983), the Government is pleased to make the following rules, namely :—

THE OATH OF OFFICE (UNION PARISHADS) RULES, 1983

1. **Short title.**—These rules may be called the Oath of Office (Union Parishads) Rules, 1983.

2. **Oath of office of Chairman and members.**—(1) Every Chairman and member of a Union Parishad shall make an oath of office in the Form annexed to these rules in the office of the respective Union Parishad or at any other public place before the Chairman of the Upazila Parishad or such officer as may be authorised by him on such date, not beyond thirty days from the date of publication of the names of persons elected or, as the case may be, from the date of their nomination, as may be determined by the Chairman of the Upazila Parishad.

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(2) If, for any reason, any Chairman or member fails to make an oath of office on the date fixed under sub-rule (1), the Chairman of the Upazila Parishad or any officer authorised by him shall administer the oath of office to such Chairman or member on a subsequent date fixed by the Chairman of Upazila Parishad for good cause shown.

Explanation.—In this rule, “Chairman of the Upazila Parishad” means the Chairman of the Upazila Parishad within whose jurisdiction the Union Parishad is situated and includes the acting Chairman of the Upazila Parishad.

3. **Repeal.**—The Union Parishads and Thana Parishads (Oath of Office) Rules, 1977, are hereby *repealed*.

FORM

[See rule 2(1)]

I (name)..... having been elected/nominated as Chairman/member of..... Union Parishad do solemnly affirm that I will bear true faith and allegiance to Bangladesh and that I will faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

Signature :

Date :

By order of the
Chief Martial Law Administrator
MOHAMMAD SIDDIQUER RAHMAN
Secretary.