

**Index of Laws, Decrees, Regulations, and Charters that have been drafted, evaluated, and processed from the beginning of the Interim Administration until 1384/09/27 (2005/12/18) in the General Directorate of the Institute of Legislative Affairs and Scientific Legal Research, and published in the Official Gazette, is as follows:**

**A. Laws:**

No.	Title	Approval No.	Decree No.	Effective Date	Publication Date	Gazette No.	Remarks
1	Press Law	6	81	1380/12/01	1380/12/18	800	
2	Law on Foreign and Domestic Private Investment		134	1381/06/02	1381/06/20	803	
3	Social Organizations Law	24/12	152	1381/08/05	1381/10/22	804	
4	Law on Gatherings, Strikes, and Demonstrations	54/24	188	1381/10/19	1381/12/22	805	
5	Civil Aviation Law	14	38	1382/04/29	1382/04/31	809	
6	Political Parties Law	23	73	1382/07/22	1382/07/26	812	
7	Anti-Narcotics Law	29	75	1382/08/06	1382/08/13	813	
8	Municipal Elections Law	30	81	1382/08/18	1382/09/30	814	
9	Constitution		103	1382/11/06	1382/11/08	818	
10	Da Afghanistan Bank Law		62	1382/06/27	1382/11/30	819	
11	Currency and Banking Law		63	1382/06/27	1382/11/30	819	
12	Provisional Code of Criminal Procedure for Courts	42	115	1382/12/04	1382/12/06	820	
13	Mass Media Law	45/1	4	1383/01/11	1383/01/15	824	

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14	Law on the Preservation of Afghanistan's Historical and Cultural Heritages	45/4	19	1383/02/31	1383/02/31	828	
15	Elections Law	10	28	1383/03/07	1383/03/10	829	
16	Law on the Campaign Against Bribery and Administrative Corruption	30	77	1383/07/07	1383/07/20	838	
17	Law on the Campaign Against Financing Terrorism	30	82	1383/07/26	1383/07/30	839	
18	Law on the Campaign Against Money Laundering and Its Proceeds	31	81	1383/07/26	1383/10/08	840	
19	Juvenile Law	10	46	1383/12/19	1384/01/03	846	
20	Customs Law	15	3	1384/01/10	1384/01/15	847	
21	Elections Law	6	12	1384/02/07	1384/02/10	850	
22	Law on Organization and Jurisdiction of Courts of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan	4	14	1384/02/21	1384/02/31	851	
23	Law on Prisons and Detention Centers	33	15	1384/02/21	1384/03/10	852	
24	Law on the Organization, Duties, and Authorities of the Afghanistan Independent Human Rights Commission	7	16	1384/02/22	1384/03/31	855	
25	Law on Firearms, Ammunition, and Explosives	9	20	1384/03/03	1384/03/31	855	
26	Law on Management of Financial Affairs and Public Expenditures	13	34	1384/04/05	1384/04/06	856	

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27	Law on Nongovernmental Organizations (NGOs)	1	28	1384/03/25	1384/04/15	857	
28	Minerals Law of Afghanistan	16	43	1384/04/22	1384/05/20	859	
29	Provincial Councils Law	21	62	1384/05/29	1384/05/31	860	
30	Civil Service Law	21	72	1384/06/14	1384/05/20	861	
31	Police Law	22	75	1384/06/20	1384/05/31	862	
32	Military Courts Law	25	81	1384/07/04			Under Printing and Publication.
33	Procurement Law	25	89	1384/07/30			Under Printing and Publication.
34	Income Tax Law	27	95	1384/08/23			Under Printing and Publication.
35	Private Investment Law	31	105	1384/09/15			Under Printing and Publication.
36	Environment Law	33	112	1384/09/27			Under Printing and Publication.
37	Statistics Law	34	113	1384/09/27			Under Printing and Publication.
38	Military Criminal Procedure Code	34	114	1384/09/27			Under Printing and Publication.
39	Military Penal Code	34	115	1384/09/27			Under Printing and Publication.
40	Mass Media Law	34	116	1384/09/27			Under Printing and Publication.
41	Law on Regulating Telecommunication Services	33	117	1384/09/27			Under Printing and Publication.
42	Hydrocarbons Law						
43	Anti-Narcotics Law						

## B. Legislative Decrees:

No.	Title	Approval No.	Decree No.	Effective Date	Publication Date	Gazette No.	Remarks
1	Decree Repealing Decrees and Legislative Documents before the 1st of Jadi 1380 (2001/12/22)	9	66	1380/12/25	1381/03/28	802	
2	Decree on the Prevention of Planting Poppy and Hashish Plants and Production, Import, Processing, Purchase and Sale, Export, Supply, Storage, Transfer, and Use of Narcotics		53	1381/01/15	1381/03/28	802	
3	Decree on the Prevention of Distribution of Government Virgin Lands		99	1381/02/04	1381/03/28	802	
4	Decree on Adding the Term "High-Ranking" to Decree No. 193, 1380/12/25		107	1381/02/05	1381/03/28	802	
5	Decree Repealing Decree No. 67, 1420/12/08 Hijri Qamari (Lunar Calendar)		146	1381/02/07	1381/03/28	802	
6	Decree on the Acceptance and Determination of Payments to Civil and Military Personnel Who Have Been Laid Off Their Jobs		150	1381/02/09	1381/03/28	802	
7	Order on the Prevention of Distribution of Government Lands in Contravention of the City Master Plan		830	1381/02/11	1381/03/28	802	
8	Decree on Pardon and Reduction of the Punishment of Prisoners and Dismissal of Cases Against Accused Persons in the Capital and Provinces of the Country on the Occasion of the Birthday of the Prophet Muhammad (Peace Be Upon Him)		256	1381/03/02	1381/03/28	802	

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9	Decree on Addition to Decree No. 150, 1381/02/09 (2002/04/29)		288	1381/03/07	1381/03/28	802	
10	Decree on the Return of Refugees in a Respectful Manner		297	1381/03/31	1381/03/28	802	
11	Decree on Addition to Decree No. 256, 1381/03/20		84	1381/05/06	1381/10/22	804	
12	Decree Establishing the Special Court for Resolving Disputes Concerning Real Property		136	1381/06/31	1381/10/22	804	
13	Decree Amending Article 2 of Decree No. 136, 1381/06/13, regarding Establishing the Special Court for Resolving Disputes Concerning Real Property		161	1381/08/30	1381/12/22	805	
14	Decree on Creation of the New Third-Degree District of Deh Saleh in Baghlan Province and Reducing the Anderab District from Second to Third Degree		178	1381/08/08	1381/12/22	805	
15	Decree on Separation of the First-Degree District of Khulm from Samangan Province and Rejoining It to Balkh Province		179	1381/02/05	1381/12/22	805	
16	Decree on Merging and Determining the Status of Extraterritorial (Afghan) Institutions of Higher Education into the Country		186	1381/10/15	1381/12/22	805	
17	Decree on Creation of the Second-Degree District of Zhery in Kandahar Province		187	1381/10/16	1381/12/22	805	
18	Decree on the Method of Caring and Oversight of Children Under Detention at Child and Juvenile Correction Centers		2	1382/01/10	1382/01/31	806	

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19	Decree on the Integration of Administration of Prisons and Detention Centers in the Capital and Provinces into the Ministry of Justice		3	1382/01/10	1382/01/31	806	
20	Decree on Police Force Reforms		4	1382/01/19	1382/01/31	806	
21	Decree on the Pardon of the Remaining Term of Imprisonment for a Number of Prisoners on the Occasion of the 11th Anniversary of the Islamic Revolution		7	1382/02/09	1382/02/31	807	
22	Decree on Printing and Circulation of Bank Notes (New Afghani Currency)		142	1381/07/14	1381/03/31	808	
23	Decree on Creation of the Newly Established Third-Degree Districts of Yahya Khel and Yosuf Khel in Paktika Province		23	1382/03/10	1382/03/31	808	
24	Decree Establishing the Independent Civil Administration Commission		257	1382/03/02	1382/05/30	810	
25	Decree on Management and Implementation of an Administrative Reform Program Within the Ministries and Civil Agencies and Institutions		25	1382/03/20	1382/05/30	810	
26	Decree on Primary Reforms within the Ministries and Civil Agencies		33	1382/10/21	1382/05/30	810	
27	Decree on Convening a Loya Jirga for Approval of the Constitution		34	1382/04/24	1382/06/31	811	
28	Decree Establishing an Interim Electoral Management Commission		39	1382/05/06	1382/06/31	811	
29	Decree Establishing the Joint Electoral Management Body		40	1382/05/06	1382/06/31	811	

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30	Decree on the Timetable for Convening a Loya Jirga for the Constitution		60	1382/06/17	1382/06/31	811	
31	Decree on Enforcement and Publication of Decrees Nos. 34, 39, and 40 in the Official Gazette		61	1382/06/23	1382/06/31	811	
32	Decree by the Head of the Transitional Islamic Government of Afghanistan on Real Property	31	83	1382/08/18	1382/10/15	816	
33	Decree on Payment of Religious Tax (Zakat) and Tithe by Obligated Persons to Entitled Persons		84	1382/08/19	1382/10/15	816	
34	Decree Establishing a Special Court for Resolving Disputes Concerning Real Property		89	1382/09/09	1382/10/30	817	
35	Decree on the Fundamental Aspects of Holding Elections in the Transitional Period		110	1382/11/29	1382/11/30	819	
36	Decree on Registration of Voters for Elections		86	1382/08/20	1382/11/30	819	
37	Decree Imposing Limits on Salaries and Additional Outside Payments to Government Civil Servants		57	1382/09/13	1382/12/12	821	
38	Decree on Organizing the Grading System and Other Personal Affairs of the Civil and Military Personnel of the Government		58	1382/06/31	1382/12/12	821	
39	Decree on Revision of Decisions and Judicial Rulings of the Special Court for Resolving Disputes Concerning Real Property		112	1382/12/03	1382/12/28	823	
40	Decree on Recruitment of Expatriate Afghan Experts		124	1382/12/24	1382/12/28	823	

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41	Decree on Approval of the Newly Established Third-Degree Province of Panjsher		6	1383/01/24	1383/01/31	825	
42	Decree on Creation of the Newly Established Third-Degree Province of Daikundi		14	1383/02/03	1383/02/15	827	
43	Decree on Intensifying the Campaign Against the Crimes of Child Abduction and Trafficking		47	1383/04/13	1383/04/15	832	
44	Decree on the Procedure for Convening a Loya Jirga for Approval of the Constitution		Order No. 4913	1383/09/16	1383/05/10	834	
45	Decree Repealing Order No. 1553, 1420/05/01, regarding Rights Based on Cultural Privilege and New Distribution of a License for It		65	1383/01/11	1383/06/31	836	
46	Decree on an Executive Code of Conduct for High-Ranking Authorities and Other High-Ranking Government Officials, including the Judiciary, the Executive, and the Legislature		1	1383/09/18	1383/10/30	843	
47	Decree on the Appointment of Ministers of the Government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan		3	1383/10/03	1383/10/30	843	
48	Decree on the Partial Merging of Certain Ministries of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan		4	1383/10/03	1383/10/30	843	
49	Decree on Formation of an Interim Supreme Court and Appointment of Its Members		13	1383/10/14	1383/11/29	844	
50	Decree on Formation of an Interim Secretariat of the National Council		40	1383/12/13	1383/12/30	845	

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51	Decree on Holding Elections for the National, Provincial and District Councils		24	1384/03/17	1384/03/21	853	
52	Decree on Dissolution of the Judicial Commission		71	1384/06/13	1384/06/31	862	
53	Decree on Distribution of Land for Making Shelters to Returnees and Deserving Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)						

**C. Amendment, Addition, and Repeal of Certain Law Articles:**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Approval No.</b>	<b>Decree No.</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>	<b>Publication Date</b>	<b>Gazette No.</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1	Decree on Amendment and Addition to Article 59 of the Law on the Personal Affairs of Armed Forces Officers		193	1380/12/25	1381/03/28	802	
2	Decree on Amendment of Article 24 of the Government Employees Law		155	1381/02/10	1381/03/28	802	
3	Decree on Addition of Paragraph 4 the Article 11 of the City Services Taxation Law		156	1381/02/10	1381/03/28	802	
4	Decree Suspending Articles 59, 60, 61, and 82 of the Passport Law	21	240	1381/02/28	1381/03/28	802	
5	Decree on Annex No. 1 of the Insignias and Medals Law		360	1381/03/26	1381/03/28	802	
6	Decree on an Annex to the Insignias and Medals Law		125	1381/05/23	1381/10/22	804	

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7	Decree on Addition to Annex No. 1 of the Insignias and Medals Law		205	1381/12/04	1382/01/31	806	
8	Decree on Annex No. 3 of the Insignias and Medals Law		206	1381/12/04	1382/01/31	806	
9	Decree Amending Article 17 of the Evaluation Applications Law	39	107	1382/11/15	1382/12/20	822	
10	Decree Amending Certain Articles of the Law on Organizing Affairs of Defense Attorneys	39	107	1382/11/15	1382/12/20	822	
11	Decree Amending Article 44 of the Law on Travel and Residence of Foreign Citizens	3	12	1383/02/31	1383/02/10	826	
12	Decree Implementing Annex No. 5 of the Insignias and Medals Law regarding the Status of the Professor Kamaludin Behzad Medal		34	1383/03/16	1383/03/31	831	
13	Decree Amending and Repealing Certain Articles of the Property Dealers Law	39	76	1383/07/06	1383/07/09	837	
14	Decree on Amendment, Addition, and Repeal of Certain Articles of the Passport Law	8	78	1383/07/07	1383/08/30	841	
15	Decree on Implementation of Paragraph 2 of Article 159 of the Constitution		19	1383/10/29	1383/11/29	844	
16	Decree Repealing and Amending of Certain Articles of the Population Registration Law	6	47	1383/12/19	1383/12/30	845	
17	Decree Amending and Repealing Certain Articles of the Income Tax Law	10	52	1383/12/27	1383/12/30	845	

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18	Decree Amending Certain Articles of the Land Expropriation Law	1	7	1384/01/14	1384/01/31	849	
19	Decree Amending Article 5 of the Defense Attorneys Law	10	26	1384/03/19	1384/03/25	854	
20	Decree on Addition of Paragraph 2 to Article 22 of the Law on Personal Affairs of Cadets and Guards of the Armed Forces						
21	Decree on Re-Amendment of Paragraph 3 of Article 5 of the Defense Attorneys Law						
22	Decree on Addition and Amendments in Certain Articles of the Government Enterprises Law						
23	Decree Amending Article 15 of the Customs Law						
24	Decree on Amendment of Article 6, Repeal of Part 2 of Paragraph 1 of Article 11, Amendment of Article 15, and Addition to Paragraph 2 of Article 35 of the Insurance Law						

**D. Regulations:**

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1	Regulation on Organizing the Procedure and Activities of the Independent Administrative Reforms and Civil Services Commission		26	1382/03/20	1382/05/30	810	

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2	Regulation on the Procedure for Registration of Political Parties	23	73	1382/07/22	1382/07/26	812	
3	Regulation on Cultural and Artistic Prizes	31	79	1382/08/18	1382/10/02	815	
4	Regulation on Fees of Mass Communication Equipment Services and Artistic Activities in Afghanistan	31	80	1382/08/18	1382/10/02	815	
5	Regulation on Fees of Scientific, Research, and Publication Activities of Scientific Research Institutions	31	82	1382/08/18	1382/10/02	815	
6	Regulation on Organizing Procedure and Activities of the Ministry of Women Affairs	3	26	1383/03/04	1383/03/20	830	
7	Regulation on the Use of Radio Frequency and Wireless Telecommunication Equipment in Afghanistan	35	107	1383/09/10	1383/09/30	842	
8	Regulation on Educational Institution Dormitories	11	54	1383/12/30	1384/01/20	848	
9	Regulation on the Recruitment of Foreign Citizens in Afghanistan's Administration	8	36	1384/04/09	1384/04/30	858	
10	Regulation on the Wages at Airports and Civil Aviation Institutions	20	57	1384/05/23	1384/05/31	860	
11	Regulation on Holding the Cultural and Historical Heritage Exhibition						

### E. Amendment, Addition, and Repeal of Certain Articles of Regulations:

No.	Title	Approval No.	Decree No.	Effective Date	Publication Date	Gazette No.	Remarks
1	Decree Amending Articles 7, 22, and 30 of the Commercial Arbitration Regulation	2	120	1381/02/05	1381/03/28	802	
2	Decree Amending Article 31 of the Purchasing Regulation	46/16	158	1381/08/27	1381/12/22	805	
3	Decree Re-Amending of Articles 13, 14, and 15 and Paragraph 2 of Article 22 of the Fares and Travel Expenses Regulation		101	1382/11/04	1382/10/30	817	
4	Decree on Amendment, Addition, and Repeal in Articles 15, 16, and 18 and Addition to Article 33 in the Regulation on the Scientific Cadre of the Authorship and Translation Department		55	1383/04/31	1384/04/31	833	
5	Decree on New Annexes to the Regulations on Fuel Consumption of Newly Imported Motorcycles, Transport Vehicles, Electrical Generators, Agricultural Machinery, and Construction Vehicles and Road Construction Vehicles	8	32	1383/03/16	1383/05/31	835	
6	Decree Amending Certain Articles and Parts of the Regulation on the Import and Exhibition of Motion Pictures and the Monitoring of Cinemas	35	24	1383/11/16	1383/11/29	844	
7	Decree Amending Parts 1 & 2 of Article 6 of the Fares and Travel Expenses Regulation	10	25	1384/03/19	1384/03/25	854	
8	Decree on Addition of No. 40, after No. 35, to Paragraph 6 of Article 8 of the Regulation on the Classification, Determination, and Promotion of Grades of Contract Workers	18	49	1384/05/04	1384/05/31	860	

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9	Approval of Amendment to Article 17 of the Regulation on Fuel Consumption of Transport Vehicles	21	Approval No. 21	1384/05/24			
10	Approval of Annexes to the Standards of the Regulation on Fuel Consumption of Motorcycles, Transport Vehicles, Electrical Generators, and Agricultural Machinery	21	Approval No. 21	1384/05/24			

**F. Charters:**

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1	Model Charter for Government Enterprises	13	2	1384/01/07	1384/01/31	849	
2	Afghan Telecom Charter	21	Approval No. 21	1384/05/24			Not Published in Official Gazette.