

Part IV : Special Provisions relating to other cities.

22. On any local area other than ¹[the City of Ahmedabad] being constituted to be a city ²[* * * *] the ³[State] Government may, notwithstanding anything in this Act, by notification in the *Official Gazette* provide for such City—

(a) for the constitution of the following interim authorities and the exercise of powers and performance of functions and duties by the said authorities ⁴[for such period not exceeding ⁵[One year]] as it thinks fit :—

(i) the Corporation,

(ii) the Standing Committee,

(iii) the Transport Committee,

(iv) the Mayor and Deputy Mayor,

(v) the Commissioner,

(iv) the Transport Manager ;

(b) the appointment of municipal officers and servants ; and

(c) such other matters as may be necessary for the proper and efficient conduct of the municipal administration of the City.

⁶[**22A.** (a) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act the State Government may by order in writing issue to any of the interim authorities constituted under paragraph 22 such direction as may be considered necessary for the proper and efficient conduct of the municipal administration of the city.

(b) Any direction issued by the State Government to any interim authority under sub-paragraph (a), shall be complied with by the interim authority within such period as may be specified in the order under the said sub-paragraph (a).

(c) Where an interim authority fails to comply with a direction issued by the State Government, the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 448 shall, so far as may be, apply as if for the word “duty” wherever it occurs in the said sub-section (2), the word “direction” had been substituted.

22B. Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph 22, the State Government may—

(1) in the notification referred to in the said paragraph 22 provide for appointment of an Administrator instead of constitution of interim authorities referred to in items (i) to (iv) of sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph 22,

(2) by notification in the *Official Gazette* provide for appointment of an Administrator on the expiry of the term of interim authorities referred to in items (i) to (iv) of sub-paragraph (a) of the said paragraph 22 and continuation of the interim authorities referred to in items (v) and (vi) of the said paragraph (a) for such period as may be specified in the notification, and the provisions of section 7 A shall, so far as may be apply to the appointment of such Administrator.]

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1. These words were substituted for the words “the cities of Ahmedabad and Poona” by the Gujarat Adaptation of Laws (State and Concurrent Subjects) Order, 1960.
 2. The words and figures “under section 3” were deleted by Guj. 16 of 1993, s. 22 (1).
 3. This word was substituted for the word “Provincial” by the Adaptation of laws Order, 1950.
 4. These words were substituted for the words “for such period” by Guj. 18 of 1984, s. 4 (2) (a).
 5. These words were substituted for the words “two and half years” by Guj. 16 of 1993, s. 22 (2).
 6. Paragraphs 22A and 22B were inserted by Guj. 18 of 1984, s. 4 (2) (b).