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**Legislative Decree No. (6) of 2002**

**Amending Certain Provisions of Legislative Decree No. (3) of 2002**

**regarding the System for Electing Members of Municipal Councils**

We, Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, King of the Kingdom of Bahrain.

Having reviewed the Constitution,

The Municipal Law promulgated by Legislative Decree No. (35) of 2001,

And Legislative Decree No. (3) of 2002 regarding the System for Electing Members of Municipal Councils,

And upon the submission of the Prime Minister,

And after the approval of the Cabinet,

Hereby Decree the following Law:

Article One

A new article numbered Article Three bis is added to Legislative Decree No. (3) of 2002 regarding the System of Electing Members of Municipal Councils, with the following text:

Article Three (bis):

The rights of officers and personnel of the Bahrain Defence Force, Public Security, and the National Guard to vote and stand for election to Municipal Councils shall be governed by the laws, regulations, and instructions pertinent to their service.

Article Two

The Prime Minister and the Ministers—each within their jurisdiction—shall implement the provisions of this Law, and it shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

King of the Kingdom of Bahrain

Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa

Prime Minister

Khalifa bin Salman Al Khalifa

Issued at Riffa Palace:

On 18 Muharram 1423 AH

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