Administrators of Union territories to discharge the functions of the Central Government in making orders of the nature specified in section 3(2)(a) and (b) of the Foreigners Act, 1946 (31 of 1946), in respect of nationals of Pakistan.

G. S. R. 816, dated the 7th July, 1959.—In pursuance of clause (1) of article 239 of the Constitution, the President hereby directs that the Administrator for the time being of a Union territory (whether called a Lieutenant Governor or a Chief Commissioner or an Administrator) shall, in relation to the Union territory concerned, discharge the functions of the Central Government in making orders of the nature specified in clauses (a) and (b) of subsection (2) of section 3 of the Foreigners Act, 1946 (31 of 1946), subject to the following conditions, namely:—

(a) that the functions so entrusted shall be exercised only in respect of nationals of Pakistan;

(b) that in the exercise of such functions the said Administrator shall comply with such general or special directions as the Central Government may from time to time issue; and

(c) that notwithstanding this entrustment, the Central Government may itself exercise any of the said functions should it deem fit to do so in any case.

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