

PAKISTAN

Protection and preservation of the monuments/sites of historical and archaeological importance in Pakistan are the responsibility of the Department of Archaeology, Ministry of Education, Government of Pakistan. The legislations in force are:

- (i) The Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904
- (ii) The Antiquities (Export Control) Act 1947.

One copy of each legislation is sent herewith. Besides, a national advisory committee is also being set up to advise the Government of Pakistan about the protection of cultural property in compliance with the "International Convention for Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict". The terms of the committee include survey of the cultural property in the country.