

## EXAMPLE OF INTERPRETATION

### PAKISTAN PENAL CODE, 1860

#### ORIGINAL TEXT FOR LITERAL OR GRAMMATICAL INTERPRETATION

#### **3. Punishment of offences committed beyond, but which by law may be tried within Pakistan:**

Any person liable, by any Pakistan Law, to be tried for an offence committed beyond Pakistan shall be dealt with according to the provision of this Code for any act committed beyond Pakistan in the same manner as if such act had been committed within Pakistan.

#### CONTEXTUAL INTERPRETATION OF CLAUSES IN SECTION 3

1. by any Pakistan Law, any person to be tried for an offence (*Main clause*)
2. which is committed beyond Pakistan (*Adjective clause, qualifying "offence" in 1*)
3. he shall be dealt with according to the provision of this Code for any act (*Main clause*)
4. which is committed beyond Pakistan in the same manner (*Adjective clause, qualifying "any act" in 3*)
5. as if such act had been committed within Pakistan. (*Adverb clause of manner, qualifying "same manner" in 4*)

**CLASSIFICATION OF SECTION 3:** It contains two main clauses and three subordinate clauses.