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**THE KARNATAKA FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY (SECOND  
AMENDMENT) ACT, 2009** ✓

(Received the assent of the Governor on the Thirty first day of July 2009)

An Act further to amend the Karnataka Fiscal responsibility Act,  
2002.

Whereas it is expedient further to amend the Karnataka Fiscal  
Responsibility Act, 2002 (Karnataka Act 16 of 2002) for the purposes  
hereinafter appearing;

Be it enacted by the Karnataka State Legislature in the Sixtieth  
year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. **Short title and commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called  
the Karnataka Fiscal Responsibility (Second Amendment) Act, 2009.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from  
the first day of April, 2009.

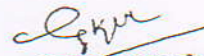
2. **Amendment of section 4.**- In the Karnataka Fiscal  
Responsibility Act, 2002 (Karnataka Act 16 of 2002), in section 4, in  
sub-section (3), after the second proviso, the following shall be  
inserted, namely:-

“Provided also that the fiscal deficit during the financial year  
2009-10 shall not exceed four percent of estimated Gross State  
Domestic Product.”

The above translation of ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಅರ್ಥಿಕ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿ (ಎರಡನೇ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ)  
ಅಧಿನಿಯಮ, 2009 (2009ರ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಅಧಿನಿಯಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 14) be published in the Official  
Gazette under clause (3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India.

**H.R.BHARDWAJ**  
GOVERNOR OF KARNATAKA

By order and in the name of the  
Governor of Karnataka



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Secretary to Government  
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