

THE BALOCHISTAN CHARGE NURSES

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An Act to requisition the services of Charge Nurses.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to secure the services of Charge Nurses for the Province of Balochistan;

It is hereby enacted as follows: —

Short title, extent 1. (1) This Act may be called the Balochistan Charge and Nurses (Compulsory Service) Act, 1975.

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t. (2) It shall come into force at once.

(3) It shall apply to the Province of Balochistan except the Tribal Areas.

Definitions. 2. (1) In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant, in the subject or context: —

(i) "Government" means the Government of Balochistan;

(ii) "Charge Nurse" means a woman who has qualified the Charge Nurse Examination conducted by the West Pakistan Nursing Service Council, Lahore/Punjab Nursing Services Council, Lahore, Nursing Examination Board, Balochistan, Quetta at the expense and quota of Government

of Balochistan.

Requisition of 3. Notwithstanding anything contained in any other Law, a Service. Charge Nurse shall be liable to serve the Province of Balochistan for a period of at least three years, if so required by

Government: —

(a) if she has qualified as such on or after the first day of July, 1970, but before the commencement

1 This Act was passed by the Balochistan Assembly on 5" November 1975; assented to by the Governor of Balochistan; and

published in the Balochistan Gazette (Extraordinary) No. 63, dated 12" November, 1975.

2 Spelling of the word "Baluchistan", wherever it appears in this Act, is corrected by insertion of letter "o" instead of "u"; as per Government of Balochistan, S&GAD's Notification No. SORI (4) 6/ S&GAD-89, dated 18" June, 1989.

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of this Act, within one year of the day of
commencement of this Act;

(b) if she qualifies after the commencement of this
Act, within one year of her qualifying.

4. Whoever disobeys the order of Government with respect
to the requisitioning of her service or in any other manner
defies the notice issued by the Government, shall suffer
imprisonment for two years and shall also be liable to fine
which may extend to five thousand rupees.

5. No Court shall take cognizance of an offence under this
Act, except on complaint by the Government or an officer
authorised in this behalf by the Government and on the
recommendation of the Committee constituted by the
Government for the purpose.

6. Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing
provisions the Government may make rules! to carry out the
provisions of this Act.

(a) For the Balochistan Charge Nurses (Compulsory Service) Rules, 1976, made under this section, see the Health and Social

Welfare Department's Notification NO. SO(H)3-7/75, dated 27" January, 1977; published in the Balochistan Gazette
(Extraordinary) No. 4, dated 27" January, 1977.

(b) For the Balochistan Lady Health Visitors (Compulsory Service) Rules, 1976, made under this section, see the Health and
Social Welfare Department's Notification NO. SO(H)3-7/75, dated 27" January, 1977; published in the Balochistan Gazette
(Extraordinary) No. 4, dated 27" January, 1977.