

**THE BALOCHISTAN LADY HEALTH VISITORS (COMPULSORY
SERVICE)
ACT, 1975**

(Baln Act XI of 1975)

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[19th November, 1975]

An Act to requisition the services of Lady Health Visitors.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to secure the services of Lady Health Visitors for the Province of Balochistan;

It is hereby enacted as follows: —

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Balochistan Lady Health Visitors (Compulsory Service) Act, 1975.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

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

Definitions.

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

(i) “Government” means the Government of Balochistan;

(ii) “Lady Health Visitor” means a woman who has qualified the lady Health Visitors 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 service.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in any other Law, a Lady Health Visitor 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 7th November, 1975; assented to by the Governor of Balochistan; published in the Balochistan Gazette (Extraordinary) No. 64, dated 19th 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 18th June, 1989.

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.

Offence and
Penalty.

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.

Cognizance of
offence.

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.

Making Rules.

6. Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provisions the Government may make rules¹ to carry out the provisions of this Act.

¹ (i) For "The Balochistan Charge Nurses (Compulsory Service) Rules, 1976" see Balochistan Gazette (Extraordinary) No. 4, dated 27th January, 1977;
(ii) for "The Balochistan Lady Health Visitors (Compulsory Service) Rules, 1976" see Balochistan Gazette (Extraordinary) No. 4, dated 27th January, 1977.