

AS INTRODUCED IN THE RAJYA SABHA
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Bill No. LXXIX of 2006

THE INDIAN NURSING COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2006

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further to amend the Indian Nursing Council Act, 1947.

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Fifty-seventh Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the Indian Nursing Council (Amendment) Act, 2006.

Short title,
and
commencement.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In the Schedule to the Indian Nursing Council Act, 1947, in Part I, after entry 48, the following entry shall be inserted, namely:—

Amendment
of the
Schedule to
Act 48 of
1947.

49. Any institution imparting nursing education which is recognized by any State Government or the Central Government, as the case may be".

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

In our country, many private recognized institutions are imparting nursing education. Since the Government is not able to meet the demands of the students to pursue nursing education, the private institutions have mushroomed. But the students who qualify from recognized private nursing colleges are neither eligible for registration in the Employment Exchanges nor given Employment in Government hospitals.

Therefore, in order to remove this anomaly, it is proposed to make nurses who have certificate, Diplomas or Degrees from recognized private nursing institutions can also become eligible for employment in Government hospitals.

Hence this Bill.

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