



## SINDH ACT NO.IX OF 2017

### THE JACOBABAD INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2017.

SCAN TO VERIFY  
LAW DEPARTMENT  
GOVERNMENT OF SINDH  
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[12<sup>th</sup> April, 2017]

to amend the Jacobabad Institute of Medical Sciences Act, 2013.

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to amend the Jacobabad Institute of Medical Sciences Act, 2013, in the matter hereinafter appearing;

**Preamble**

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called Jacobabad Institute of Medical Sciences (Amendment) Act, 2017.

**Short title and commencement.**

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In the Jacobabad Institute of Medical Sciences Act, 2013, hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in section 3, for sub-section (1), the following shall be substituted:-

**Amendment of section 3 of Sindh Act No. XIX of 2013.**

“(1) An Institute to be called Jacobabad Institute of Medical Sciences shall be established at Jacobabad.”.

3. In the said Act, section 4 shall be omitted.

**Omission of section 4 of Sindh Act No.XIX of 2013.**

4. In the said Act in Section 5, after clause (vi), the following shall be inserted:-

**Amendment of section 5 of Sindh Act No.XIX of 2013.**

“(vi-i) to confer or award degrees, diplomas, certificates, and other academic distinctions on and to persons, who have passed its examination under prescribed conditions.

(vi-ii) to affiliate with any University and disaffiliate medical institutions and inspect colleges and other educational institutions affiliated or seeking affiliation with it.”

5. In the said Act, in section 7, in sub-section (1), for the word “Governor”, the words “Chief Minister” shall be substituted.

**Amendment of section 7 of Sindh Act No. XIX of 2013.**

6. In the said Act, in section 8, for sub-section (1), the following shall be substituted:-

**Amendment of section 8 of Sindh Act No.XIX of 2013.**

“(1) The general direction and administration of the Institute and its affairs shall vest in the Board consisting of the following:-

- (i) Minister Health or if there is no Minister Health, **Chairman**  
Member of Cabinet nominated by Government

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| (ii) Secretary Health.                                                                                                                                    | <b>Vice Chairman</b>         |
| (iii) <b>Four</b> members of Provincial Assembly Sindh nominated by Speaker Sindh Assembly                                                                | <b>Member</b>                |
| (iv) Secretary Finance or his nominee not below the rank of BS-19.                                                                                        | <b>Member</b>                |
| (v) Registrar Shaheed Benazir Bhutto Medical University Larkana                                                                                           | <b>Member</b>                |
| (vi) Commissioner Larkana Division in his absence Deputy Commissioner, Jacobabad                                                                          | <b>Member</b>                |
| (vii) A Professional having substantial contribution to the field of Medical Sciences recognized nationally and internationally (nominated by Government) | <b>Member</b>                |
| (viii) A member of judiciary nominated by Chief Justice, High Court of Sindh                                                                              | <b>Member</b>                |
| (ix) Director Institute of Business Administration Sukkur.                                                                                                | <b>Member</b>                |
| (x) Registrar College of Physician and Surgeons of Pakistan (CPSP)                                                                                        | <b>Member</b>                |
| (xi) President Chamber of Commerce Jacobabad                                                                                                              | <b>Member</b>                |
| (xii) Two reputed citizens from adjacent area of Jacobabad involved in philanthropy activities nominated by Government.                                   | <b>Members</b>               |
| (xiii) Special Secretary Health Department                                                                                                                | <b>Member</b>                |
| (xiv) Officer Commanding or his representative of Pakistan Air Force Shahbaz Base Jacobabad not below the rank of Group Captain.                          | <b>Member</b>                |
| (xv) Director.                                                                                                                                            | <b>Member/<br/>Secretary</b> |

7. In the said Act, in section 9, in sub-section (2), after clause (viii), the following shall be inserted:-

“(ix) to enter into an agreement with private sector entities, for outsourcing the management and service delivery of the whole or part of Institute.”.

**Amendment of section  
9 in Sindh Act No.  
XIX of 2013.**

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8. In the said Act, in section 10 –

**Amendment of section  
10 in Sindh Act No.  
XIX of 2013.**

(i) for sub-section (1), the following shall be substituted:-

“(1) The Board shall meet at least once in a quarter with the gap of at least three months on the dates to be fixed by the Director in consultation with the Chairman.”.

(ii) after sub-section (6), the following shall be added:-

“(7) The office of a nominated member shall become vacant if he resigns or fails to attend three consecutive meetings of the Board without sufficient cause or leave of absence”.

9. In the said Act, in section 11, the following proviso shall be omitted.

**Amendment of section  
11 of Sindh Act No.  
XIX of 2013.**

“Provided that the person holding office of the Medical Superintendent of the District Headquarter Jacobabad immediately before the commencement of this Act shall be the first Director of the Institute.”.

10. In the said Act, in section 13, for sub-section (2), the following shall be substituted:-

**Amendment of section  
13 of Sindh Act No.  
XIX of 2013.**

“(2) The Academic Council shall consist of the Professors and Associate Professors of the Institute, who shall elect the Chairman from amongst themselves for a period of two years, and a student representative nominated by the Academic Council.”.