

# Women's Legal Requests in Iran



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Row	Class or group	Province	Request	Measures	Current situation
1	Some of women's groups	Across the country	Equality in male and female Diye	Establishing Diye Fund in the Justice Court for paying Diye in full	Satisfaction has been achieved due to follow-up by authorities
2	Woman 'rights activists	Across the country	Establishment of the Family Court	Establishment of the special Family Court	Family courts designed to deal with family affairs, have facilitated and prompted family-related issues, and this leads to satisfaction
3	Mothers	Across the country	Custody and child visit	The Family Protection Act which facilitates the immediate decision of the court on matters such as custody, maintenance, child visit and alimony	Due to measures that the law has taken to protect women , it has achieved and Satisfaction has obtained
4	Mothers	Across the country	Demanding the child alimony by the mother	In Articles 6 and 7 of the Family Protection Act adopted 2012, the mother, or anyone who carries out guardianship of the child or the maintenance of the incapable person, although he or she does not responsible charge of the custody, he or she has the right to demand alimony	It has carried out by the relevant authorities
5	Widowed women	Across the country	Preventing from the cutting of husband's pension	Receiving husband 's pension after his death in the Family Protection Act adopted 2012	Particular issue have not been reported

			<p>payment after his death</p>	<p>1. A permanent wife of the deceased person shall enjoy her salary or pension, and her marriage shall not prevent her from receiving the payments. In the event of the death of the second husband, she will be entitled to highest rate of pension.</p> <p>2. The receipt of retirement pension or workers compensation by widow shall not prevent the deceased from receiving a worker's pension or pension.</p>	
6	Married women	Across the country	<p>Claiming a lawsuit by wife at her place of residence</p>	<p>In Article 13 of the Family Protection Act adopted 2012, if the subject of the lawsuit is a claim for portable property or alimony, the wife can bring a lawsuit at her place his residence</p>	<p>According to the authorities' follow-up, this matter is in process and has reported as satisfactory.</p>
7	Jurists and active women	Across the country	<p>Attending a trial as a judge</p>	<p>More than 800 female judges are active in the courts.</p> <p>The Family Protection Act which adopted 2012 obliges the presence of women by judiciary skills in family courts and their intervention in the proceedings and the issuance of a ruling.</p> <p>- Advisory role in the Family and Children's Court</p>	<p>Satisfaction has obtained</p>

8	Married women	Across the country	Temporary marriage registration	According to the Family Protection Act adopted 2012, the registration of temporary marriage is required in the following cases: 1 Wife pregnancy 2 agreement between the two sides 3 conditions of the contract	This is the case in the courts with the provisions of the law.
9	Women without husband	Across the country	Guardianship of minor by unmarried woman	The Law on the Protection of Children without guardian adopted 2013 Article 5- The following persons may request the supervision of children and adolescents subject to this law from the organization. (A) woman or man who have been married for five years from the date of their marriage and who do not have children from their marriage, (B) provided that at least one of them is more than thirty years old. (C) girls and women who are at least more than 30 years old , will exclusively have the right to be guardian	The relevant institutions are pursuing and implementing it
10	Infertile women	Across the country	Permission for artificial insemination	Assignment of the Law on the Method of Granting an Embryo to Infertile Couples adopted in 2003 and the Implementing Regulations of the	There is considerable satisfaction

				Law on the Method of Granting an Embryo to Infertile Couples adopted in 2004 by the Cabinet of Ministers	
11	Employee women	Across the country	The right to inherit the legal pension of a deceased female employee	Articles 81 and 82 of the Social Security Act adopted in 2003	Women have fully enjoyed their legal rights
12	Women rights activists	Across the country	Supporting the rights of women and children in the Judiciary Power	Establishment of the Office for the Protection of Women's Rights and Children in the institution of the judiciary and provinces throughout the country adopted in 2002 to carry out the following activities: 1. Supervision of the process of handling cases involving women, children and adolescent who a=committed offences, in particular, to expedite proceedings, issue of sentences By proportion and effort to reform and educate them 2. Supporting women, children and juvenile delinquents 3. Improving the quality of the judiciary of the judiciary	This request has been achieved by following women's rights activists.
13	Female jurist	Across the country	Allocation of a committee in parliament for women	Article 42: Internal Rules of the parliament adopted in 1996 The Committee on Women, Youth and	Currently, the committee is one of the active institutions in

				the and Family Affairs.	the field of women
14	Single girls	Across the country	Prohibition of early marriage of girls before they reach adulthood	According to the marriage agreement, a girl before reaching the age of 13 and boys before reaching the age of 15 years shall be subject to permission by provided the parents determine the competent condition by court	It is following up by authorities
15	Pregnant women	Across the country	Abortion permit	The new Islamic Penal Code, adopted in 2012, in Article 718, it is possible to perform abortion if the physicians determine that the embryo is threatening the mother's health and judicial authorities can order the abortion	Satisfaction has achieved.
16	Pregnant women	Across the country	Reproductive rights	First Development Plan: Improving community health and reducing maternal and child death. Second Development Plan: Emphasis on women's knowledge about reproductive potential, on the benefits of fertility control. Increasing the level of general and specialized training on issues related to marriage, contraception, pregnancy care and etc	It is following up by authorities

17	Married women and girls at the age of marriage	Across the country	Dividing property of couples after separation	Inclusion in the marriage agreements on the division of property after marriage between couples (since 1983)	Satisfactory has obtained
18	A limited section of the women's community, especially among ethnic groups and residents of the border regions	Across the country	Granting Iranian citizenship to children born of Iranian women marrying foreign men	The children of the marriage mentioned above will receive Iranian citizenship at the age of 18 upon confirmation of the marriage documents as well as the residence of the husband by the relevant authorities.	The problem is not so widespread, but there are some dissatisfactions .
19	Female student	Across the country	Studying abroad	Allowing the sending of a single girl student abroad to attend post-graduate studies (2000)	In some cases, legal co-operation has not taken place
20	Female elite students and athletes	Across the country	Correction of passport law	A passport law reform plan is proposed by the women's parliamentary fraction.	It is investigating by the relevant authorities
21	Bisexual people	-	Sex reassignment surgery	Article 939 of the Civil Code and Ayatollah Khamenei's fatwa 1984 about sex reassignment surgery . Law on the Protection of the Family 91 Chapter One Article 4, paragraph 18. Sex reassignment surgery is possible after forensic permits	Satisfaction has obtained. These people have enjoyed legal arrangements.



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