

**LAW OF TURKMENISTAN  
ON AMENDMENTS TO THE CERTAIN  
LEGISLATIVE ACTS OF TURKMENISTAN**

To amend the following legislative acts of Turkmenistan:

1. The Code on Matrimony and Family of Turkmenistan as approved by the Law of Turkmen Soviet Socialist Republic from 25 December 1969 (Bulletin of Supreme Soviet of TSSR, of 1969, № 24, art. 141; 1980 № 10, art. 83; 1983, №8, art.15; 1984, №3, art.16., №21, art.. 93; 1985, №5, art..15, №10, art. 71, №23, art.130; 1987, №12, art.55, №13, art.62; 1988, №14, art.79; 1989, №20, art.109, №24, art. 169; 1991, №6, art.62, №9-10, art.102, №16, art.171; Bulletin of Medjlis (Parliament) of Turkmenistan, 1992, №6, art.61; 1998, №3, art.56, №4, art.71; 2002, №1, art.7):

in the part 4 of Article 14, the words “in case of divorce” shall be changed for as follows “and be in need in financial aid an unemployed spouse in order of present Code”;

the part 2 of Article 15 shall be set forth in the following redaction:

“In order for citizens of Turkmenistan to enter into marriage with foreign citizens and stateless persons, in addition to conditions set forth in the part one of this Article, it shall be required for the latter to reside in the territory of Turkmenistan not less than one year”.

2. In the second paragraph of section IV the Law of Turkmenistan “On Amending and Supplementing Some Legislative Acts of Turkmenistan” as enacted by the Medjlis of Turkmenistan on 28 March 2002 (Bulletin of Medjlis of Turkmenistan, 2002, № 1, art. 7), the words “parts of three and four” shall be changed for as follows “parts four and five”.

**THE PRESIDENT OF TURKMENISTAN  
SAPARMURAT TURKMENBASHY**

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