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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ATTORNEYS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 605-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:
- 3 "(b) In order to be licensed by the supreme court, a
- 4 person shall be of good moral character, and shall satisfy such
- 5 residence and other requirements as the supreme court may
- 6 prescribe. No attorney shall be required to join any
- 7 association or organization of attorneys in order to maintain a
- 8 license to practice law in the State."
- 9 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 10 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

BY REQUEST OF ANOTHER PARTY

S.B. NO. 154

Report Title:

Courts and Court Officers; Attorneys

Description:

Establishes that there shall not be any requirement for an attorney to join an association or organization of lawyers to maintain a law license to practice in the State.

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