



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
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DAVID Y. IGE  
GOVERNOR

July 10, 2018

**GOV. MSG. NO. 1283**

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,  
President  
and Members of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,  
Speaker and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on July 10, 2018, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2694 HD1 SD2 CD1

RELATING TO FEES  
**ACT 174 (18)**

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FEES.

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

SECTION 1. Section 338-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

"(a) The department of health shall establish reasonable fees to be paid for certified copies of certificates; provided that the department shall furnish, free of charge~~[7-a]~~:

(1) A certified copy of any of the records, or a certification of birth, to any veteran of the armed forces of the United States, the veteran's wife, any member of the immediate family of a veteran or the next of kin of a deceased veteran, when required for use in connection with a claim based on service in the armed forces of the United States~~[-]~~; and

(2) A certification of birth to any individual who is homeless; provided that the individual's homeless status is corroborated by a verification letter issued by a homeless service provider.



1 Subject to sections 338-16, 338-17, and 338-18, the National  
2 Center for Health Statistics may obtain transcripts and  
3 statistical summaries on computer tapes of certificates or,  
4 without payment of fees, certified copies; provided the State is  
5 put to no expense in connection therewith.

6 A reasonable fee shall be charged for any correction in the  
7 items on a vital statistics certificate initiated by the  
8 registrant or the registrant's parent or representative if the  
9 registrant is a minor."

10 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
11 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

12 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval,  
13 and shall be repealed on June 30, 2021; provided that section  
14 338-14(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be reenacted in the  
15 form in which it read on the day prior to the effective date of  
16 this Act.

APPROVED this 10 day of JUL , 2018



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



HB No. 2694, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 1, 2018  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2018.



Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker  
House of Representatives




Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives

**THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I**

Date: May 1, 2018  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the  
Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2018.

  
President of the Senate

  
Clerk of the Senate