

ACT 90

H. B. 331.

A Bill for an Act Amending Chapter 172, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, as Amended, Relating to Certified Copies of Public Documents.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. Chapter 172, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, as amended, is hereby amended by adding a new section thereto to be appropriately numbered and to read as follows:

“Section 172-..... Director’s certificate, evidence. The director of regulatory agencies may certify, under the seal of his department, copies of documents filed in his office pursuant to this chapter and such copies so certified shall be admissible in evidence in any court or administrative hearing or proceeding as the original.

A certificate by the director under the seal of his department, as to the existence or nonexistence of the records relating to corporations shall be admissible in evidence in any court or administrative hearing or proceeding as prima facie evidence of the existence or nonexistence of the records therein stated.”

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 20, 1967.)