

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Meaning of Child and Related Terms in the Uniform Probate Code.

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

SECTION 1. Section 560:2-109, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 560:2-109 Meaning of child and related terms. If, for purposes of intestate succession, a relationship of parent and child must be established to determine succession by, through, or from a person:

- (1) An adopted person is the child of an adopting parent and not of the natural parents except that adoption of a child by the spouse of a natural parent has no effect on the relationship between the child and that natural parent.
- (2) In cases not covered by (1), a person is the child of those persons specified in section 584-1.”

SECTION 2. Material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the brackets, the bracketed material, or the underscoring.*

SECTION 3. This Act shall become effective upon its approval.

(Approved May 16, 1978.)

*Edited accordingly.