ACT 190

H.B. NO. 104

A Bill for an Act Relating to Names.

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

SECTION 1. Section 574-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

"§574-6 Effect of change. (a) The change of name provided for [herein] by order of the lieutenant governor shall be effective upon the date of publication of the notice of change of name.

(b) In all cases of change of name by order of the lieutenant governor,

except as otherwise provided by law, the order [or decree] shall be [recorded in

the bureau of conveyances and reported to the registrar of births within sixty days after the signing of the order.] filed as follows:

- (1) For persons born in this State, the order shall be both recorded in the bureau of conveyances and reported to the state registrar within sixty days after the signing of the order, and
- (2) For persons born outside of this State, the order shall be recorded in the bureau of conveyances within sixty days after the signing of the order.
- (c) All changes of names made by decree of any governor, or by the president of the Republic of Hawaii, or by the president of the Provisional Government of Hawaii, or by any king or queen of the Hawaiian Islands, are ratified and confirmed.
- (d) The lieutenant governor shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91 necessary for the purposes of this chapter."
- SECTION 2. Section 574-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (c) to read:
- "(c) The filing fee of [\$5] \$10 shall accompany the petition when submitted and shall not be refundable."
- SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved June 3, 1985.)