



GOV. MSG. NO. 1218

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
KE KE'ENA O KE KIA'ĀINA

JOSH GREEN, M.D.
GOVERNOR
KE KIA'ĀINA

June 23, 2023

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

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, and Members of the
House of Representatives
Thirty-Second 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 June 23, 2023, the following bill was signed into law:

HB1294 HD1 SD1 CD1

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.
ACT 117

Sincerely,

Josh Green, M.D.
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ELECTIONS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 11, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
3 read as follows:

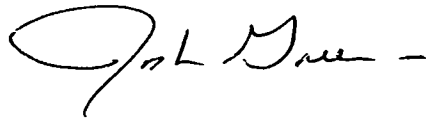
4 "\$11- Legal name of candidates; publication. If the
5 candidate name requested to be printed on a ballot is different
6 than the candidate's legal name, the office of elections and
7 campaign spending commission shall include the candidate's legal
8 name wherever the name requested to be printed on the ballot is
9 used, including but not limited to use on the office of
10 elections and campaign spending commission websites, on voter
11 information materials provided by the office of elections and
12 campaign spending commission, and at the request of any
13 registered voter; provided that when the candidate requests a
14 name on the ballot that is different than the candidate's legal
15 name, the candidate's legal name shall not be included on the
16 ballot."

17 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 23rd day of June , 2023



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



HB No. 1294, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2023
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2023.



Scott K. Saiki
Speaker
House of Representatives




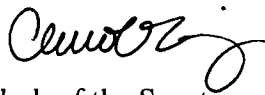
Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: May 2, 2023
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2023.


President of the Senate


Clerk of the Senate