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**HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE - HSC**

**DIVISION 102. VITAL RECORDS AND HEALTH STATISTICS [102100 - 103925]** ( *Division 102 added by Stats. 1995, Ch. 415, Sec. 4. )*

**PART 1. VITAL RECORDS [102100 - 103800]** ( *Part 1 added by Stats. 1995, Ch. 415, Sec. 4. )*

**CHAPTER 11. Amendment of Records [103225 - 103449]** ( *Chapter 11 added by Stats. 1995, Ch. 415, Sec. 4. )*

**ARTICLE 6. Amendment of Birth Record to Reflect Court Order Change of Name [103400 - 103410]** ( *Article 6 added by Stats. 1995, Ch. 415, Sec. 4. )*

**103400.** (a) If a person who has a birth certificate issued by this state has their name changed by order of a court of this state, another state, the District of Columbia, any territory of the United States, or any foreign court, an application, including an affidavit of this fact, may be filed with the office of the State Registrar upon a form provided for that purpose. A court order filed with the office of the State Registrar that is not written in English shall include a certified English translation of the court order.

(b) This section shall become operative on January 1, 2023.

(*Repealed (in Sec. 5) and added by Stats. 2021, Ch. 577, Sec. 6. (AB 218) Effective January 1, 2022. Operative January 1, 2023, by its own provisions.*)

**103405.** Upon receipt of the application, affidavit, certified copy of the court order and payment of the required fee, the State Registrar shall review the amendment for acceptance for filing, and if accepted, shall file the amendment and shall note the fact of the amendment on the otherwise unaltered original birth certificate. The amendment shall be filed with and become a part of the record to which it pertains, if the original record of birth is on file in the office of the State Registrar.

(*Added by Stats. 1995, Ch. 415, Sec. 4. Effective January 1, 1996.*)

**103410.** The State Registrar shall furnish a certified copy of the newly amended record of birth prepared under authority of this article to the registrant without additional cost.

(*Added by Stats. 1995, Ch. 415, Sec. 4. Effective January 1, 1996.*)