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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY.

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

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to amend the
2 definition of "familial status" in section 515-2, Hawaii Revised
3 Statutes, to specify that a non-parent individual cohabiting
4 with any minor children must have the written consent of the
5 child's parent in order to qualify for "familial status" under
6 the state housing laws.

7 SECTION 2. Section 515-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
8 amended by amending the definition of "familial status" to read
9 as follows:

10 "\"Familial status\" means the status of: a parent having
11 legal custody of and [~~demanded~~] cohabiting with a minor child
12 or children, a person who is [~~demanded~~] cohabiting with a minor
13 child or children [~~and who has~~] pursuant to the express written
14 [~~or unwritten~~] permission [~~from~~] of the legal parent, a person
15 who is pregnant, or [~~any~~] a person cohabiting with a minor child
16 or children and who is in the process of securing the legal
17 custody of [~~a minor~~] the child or children."



1 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
2 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Real Property; Familial Status Definition; Written Consent

Description:

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