

ACT 77

H. B. NO. 1569

A Bill for an Act Relating to Divorce and Separation.

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

SECTION 1. Sections 580-42(4), 580-55 and 580-73 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. A new section, to be appropriately numbered by the revisor of statutes, is hereby added to Chapter 580 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes, to read as follows:

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**“Section 580- . Recrimination no defense.** Recrimination shall not be a defense to an application for divorce or separation.”

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 24, 1971.)

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\*Edited accordingly.