

ACT 43

H.B. NO. 445

A Bill for an Act Relating to Highway Safety.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 286, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding to Part III a new section to be appropriately designated and to read:

“Sec. 286- Notice of change of address or name; penalty. (a) If the address of a registered owner of a motor vehicle is changed from that stated on the application or the certificate of registration, the registered owner, shall, within thirty days after the change, notify the appropriate county director of finance, in writing, of the change, stating his old and new addresses.

(b) If the name of a registered owner of a motor vehicle is changed from that shown on the application or the certificate of registration or certificate of ownership, the registered owner shall, within thirty days after the change, notify the appropriate county director of finance, in writing, of the change and shall submit together with the notice, the certificate of ownership, the current year’s certificate of registration, if any has been issued to him, and proof of the change of name. Upon receipt of the certificate of ownership, certificate of registration, if any, and satisfactory proof of the change of name, the county director of finance shall issue a new certificate of ownership and certificate of registration. The charge for the issuance of a new certificate of ownership and certificate of registration shall be as provided by law except that in the case of individual owners, no charge shall be made.

(c) For the purposes of this section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- (1) “Registered owner” includes an applicant for registration of a motor vehicle the processing of whose application has not been completed by the issuance of a certificate of registration and a certificate of ownership.
- (2) “Individual owners” excludes corporate owners of motor vehicles.

(d) Any person who violates this section shall be fined not more than \$25.”

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SECTION 2. Chapter 286, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding to Part VI a new section to be appropriately designated and to read:

“Sec. 286- Notice of change of address or name; penalty. (a) If the residence address of an applicant for, or a holder of, a driver’s license is changed from that stated in the application or in the license issued to him, the person shall, within thirty days after such change in address, notify the examiner of drivers in writing of his old and new residence addresses and the number of any license then held by him.

(b) If the name of an applicant for, or a holder of, a driver’s license is changed from that shown on his application or license, the person shall, within thirty days after the change of name, notify the examiner of drivers in writing of his former name and the new name and of the number of any permit or license then held by him. The examiner of drivers may require the person to file satisfactory proof of the change of name.

(c) Any person who violates this section shall be fined not more than \$25.”

SECTION 3. New material is underscored. In printing this Act the revisor of statutes need not include the underscoring.*

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

(Approved May 3, 1975.)

*Edited accordingly.