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Act No. 88 (H.628). Health; birth records; issuance of new birth certificate; change of sex

An act relating to amending a birth certificate to reflect gender identity

This act requires the Department of Health to adopt rules to allow an individual to amend the gender marker on the individual's birth certificate through means such as self-attestation. This act also permits the Department of Health to adopt rules that add gender pronouns to the list of authorized markers on a birth certificate.

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