

3 material or radiation producing equipment, representatives of the general public
 4 and such other persons or group representatives as the council deems appropriate.
 5 The council may establish other ad hoc advisory committees to provide assistance
 6 in the development of a state plan and on other issues where extra-governmental
 7 technical expertise is required. The chairperson may appoint such subcommittees
 8 of council members as are deemed necessary to accomplish the purposes of this
 9 Act.

1 SEC. 6. NEW SECTION. **Staff assistance.** The state hygienic laboratory shall
 2 cooperate with the council in providing program coordination and staff support
 3 pursuant to the provisions of chapter twenty-eight D (28D) of the Code. The
 4 council may request staff assistance from other state agencies and institutions
 5 pursuant to chapter twenty-eight D (28D) of the Code.

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CHAPTER 1111

SEX CHANGE ON BIRTH CERTIFICATE

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AN ACT to provide for change of sex on birth certificates.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Section one hundred forty-four point twenty-three (144.23), Code
 2 1975, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. A notarized affidavit by a licensed physician and surgeon
 4 or osteopathic physician and surgeon stating that by reason of surgery or other
 5 treatment by the licensee, the sex designation of the person has been changed.
 6 The state registrar may make a further investigation or require further
 7 information necessary to determine whether a sex change has occurred.

1 SEC. 2. Section one hundred forty-four point twenty-four (144.24), Code 1975,
 2 is amended to read as follows:

3 **144.24 Substituting for original.** When a new certificate of birth is
 4 established, the actual place and date of birth shall be shown. The certificate shall
 5 be substituted for the original certificate of birth. Thereafter, the original
 6 certificate and the evidence of adoption, paternity, ~~or~~ legitimation, *or sex change*
 7 shall not be subject to inspection except under order of a court of competent
 8 jurisdiction or as provided by regulation for statistical or administrative purposes,
 9 only. Upon receipt of notice of annulment of adoption, the original certificate of
 10 birth shall be restored to its place in the files and the new certificate and evidence
 11 shall not be subject to inspection except upon order of a court of competent
 12 jurisdiction ~~in~~ *the district court.*

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