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HOUSE BILL 616

Short Title: Child Name Change.

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Sponsors: Representative Wood.

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Referred to: Judiciary I.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE CHANGING OF A CHILD'S NAME BY PETITION  
NOT MORE THAN TWO TIMES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 101-6 reads as rewritten:

"§ 101-6. **Effect of change; only one ~~change~~.change, except as provided.**

(a) When the order is made and the applicant's name changed, he is entitled to all the privileges and protection under his new name as he would have been under the old name. No person shall be allowed to change his name under this Chapter but once, except that he shall be permitted to resume his former name upon compliance with the requirements and procedure set forth in this Chapter for change of ~~name~~.name, and except as provided in subsection (b) of this section.

(b) For good cause shown, and upon compliance with the requirements and procedure set forth in this Chapter for change of name, the name of a minor child may be changed not more than two times under this Chapter."

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.