

ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

**ASSEMBLY, No. 4888**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

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The Assembly Judiciary Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 4888.

Under current law, a \$50 fee is charged for filing a certified copy of an order for change of name. Many New Jersey residents seek a change of name each year for reasons including marriage and divorce.

This bill eliminates the fee for filing a certified copy of a name change order in this State.