## NEW JERSEY STATE BAR ASSOCIATION



June 15, 2023

## Via Regular and Electronic Mail

The Honorable Joseph F. Vitale 569 Rahway Avenue Woodbridge, NJ 07095

The Honorable Annette Quijano 1120 East Jersey Street Elizabeth, NJ 07201

Re: S3332 (Vitale)/A4888 (Quijano) – Eliminates fee for filing a certified copy of a name

change order

Dear Senator Vitale and Assemblywoman Quijano:

On behalf of the New Jersey State Bar Association, I convey our support for \$3332/A4888, which eliminates the fee for filing a certified copy of a name change order.

The Association supports this proposed legislation because it eliminates the \$50 fee charged for filing a certified copy of a name change order under current law. This is an important measure that will expand accessibility for the many New Jersey residents that seek a name change each year.

We thank you for your sponsorship of this bill and look forward to working with you moving forward. Please feel free to contact me at lchapland@njsba.com or 732-214-8510. On behalf of the NJSBA, thank you for your continued leadership.

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