

PROPOSAL 23

Section 13-105 of the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

“Section 13-105. Records Open to the Public—

[All]Except as otherwise provided by law, all books and records of the city shall be open to the inspection of any person [citizen] at any time during business hours. Certified copies or extracts from such books and records shall be given by the officer having custody of the same to any person demanding the same and paying or tendering a reasonable fee to be fixed by the council for such copies or extracts, [, but the records of the police department or of the prosecuting attorney shall not be subject to such inspection unless permission is given by the chief of police or the prosecuting attorney, except in the case of traffic accidents where such records, including all statements taken, shall be available for inspection by the parties directly concerned in such accident, or their duly licensed attorneys acting under written authority signed by either party. Any person who may sue because of death resulting from any such accident shall be deemed a party directly concerned.]”