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CHAPTER 148
SENATE BILL 1235

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 1-301, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO STATE
HOLIDAYS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 1-301, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 1-301. Holidays enumerated

5 A. The following days shall be holidays:

6 1. Sunday of each week.

7 2. January 1, "New Year's Day".

8 3. Third Monday in January, "Martin Luther King, Jr./Civil Rights
9 Day".

10 4. Third Monday in February, "Lincoln/Washington Presidents' Day".

11 5. Second Sunday in May, "Mothers' Day".

12 6. Last Monday in May, "Memorial Day".

13 7. JUNE 2, "NATIVE AMERICAN DAY".

14 ~~7.~~ 8. Third Sunday in June, "Fathers' Day".

15 ~~8.~~ 9. July 4, "Independence Day".

16 ~~9.~~ 10. First Sunday in August, "American Family Day".

17 ~~10.~~ 11. First Monday in September, "Labor Day".

18 ~~11.~~ 12. September 17, "Constitution Commemoration Day".

19 ~~12.~~ 13. Second Monday in October, "Columbus Day".

20 ~~13.~~ 14. November 11, "Veterans' Day".

21 ~~14.~~ 15. Fourth Thursday in November, "Thanksgiving Day".

22 ~~15.~~ 16. December 25, "Christmas Day".

23 B. When any of the holidays enumerated in subsection A OF THIS
24 SECTION falls on a Sunday, the following Monday shall be observed as a
25 holiday, with the exception of the holidays enumerated in subsection A,
26 paragraphs 1, 5, 7, 8, ~~9~~ 10 and ~~11~~ 12 OF THIS SECTION.

27 C. When any of the holidays enumerated in subsection A, paragraphs
28 2, ~~8~~ 9, ~~13~~ 14 and ~~15~~ 16 OF THIS SECTION falls on a Saturday, the
29 preceding Friday shall be observed as a holiday.

30 D. WHEN THE HOLIDAY ENUMERATED IN SUBSECTION A, PARAGRAPH 7 OF THIS
31 SECTION FALLS ON A DAY OTHER THAN SUNDAY, THE SUNDAY FOLLOWING JUNE 2
32 SHALL BE OBSERVED AS THAT HOLIDAY.

33 ~~10.~~ E. When the holiday enumerated in subsection A, paragraph ~~11~~ 12
34 OF THIS SECTION falls on a day other than Sunday, the Sunday preceding
35 September 17 shall be observed as ~~such~~ THAT holiday.

36 Sec. 2. Findings; purpose

37 The legislature finds that on June 2, 1924, the Indian Citizenship
38 Act of 1924 was enacted granting citizenship to all Native Americans born
39 within the United States. Native American inhabitants have persevered and
40 continue to make great contributions to this state and the United States.
41 In honor of the contributions and endurance of Native Americans, the
42 legislature declares that June 2 of each year shall be a state holiday
43 dedicated to the remembrance of all Native Americans who have contributed
44 to the history of this state.

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