

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1971

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SENATE BILL NO. 3

(By Mr. HOLLIDAY)

PASSED FEBRUARY 1, 1971

In Effect FROM Passage



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SECRETARY OF STATE
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AN ACT to amend and reenact section one, article two, chapter two of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to dates of legal holidays and official acts or court proceedings thereon.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section one, article two, chapter two of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 2. LEGAL HOLIDAYS; CONSTRUCTION OF STATUTES;
DEFINITIONS.**

§2-2-1. Legal holidays; official acts or court proceedings.

- 1 The following days shall be regarded, treated and
- 2 observed as legal holidays, viz: The first day of Janu-

3 ary, commonly called "New Year's Day"; the twelfth
4 day of February, commonly called "Lincoln's Birthday";
5 the third Monday of February, commonly called "Wash-
6 ington's Birthday"; the last Monday of May, commonly
7 called "Memorial Day"; the twentieth day of June,
8 commonly called "West Virginia Day"; the fourth day
9 of July, commonly called "Independence Day"; the first
10 Monday of September, commonly called "Labor Day";
11 the second Monday of October, commonly called "Co-
12 lumbus Day"; the fourth Monday of October, commonly
13 called "Veterans Day"; the fourth Thursday of Novem-
14 ber, commonly called "Thanksgiving Day"; the twenty-
15 fifth day of December, commonly called "Christmas
16 Day"; any national, state or other election day through-
17 out the district or municipality wherein held; and all
18 days that may be appointed or recommended by the
19 governor of this state, or the president of the United
20 States, as days of thanksgiving, or for the general cessa-
21 tion of business; and when any of said days or dates
22 falls on Sunday, then it shall be lawful to observe the
23 succeeding Monday as such holiday. When the return

24 day of any summons or other court proceedings or any
25 notice or time fixed for holding any court or doing any
26 official act shall fall on any of said holidays, the ensuing
27 secular day shall be taken as meant and intended: *Pro-*
28 *vided, however,* That nothing herein contained shall in-
29 crease nor diminish the legal school holidays provided
30 for in chapter eighteen-a, article five, section two.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Russell M. Brice

Chairman Senate Committee

Phyllis R. Rutledge

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

To take effect from passage.

Jonathan Myers

Clerk of the Senate

C. A. Blankenship

Clerk of the House of Delegates

E. Spivey

President of the Senate

Lee F. Brinson

Speaker House of Delegates

The within *approved* this the *2nd*
day of *February*, 1971.

Arch A. Shouse, Jr.

Governor



PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

Date 2/2/71

Time 12:55 p.m.

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