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HOUSE BILL No. 743

(By MISS CRANDALL ^{AND} MR. DONKEY)

PASSED MARCH 3, 1972

In Effect NINETY DAYS FROM Passage



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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 legal holidays and school holidays; changing the date of Veterans Day; and relating to the circumstances when the next secular day following a legal holiday is meant and intended.

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 ob-
2 served as legal holidays, viz: The first day of January,
3 commonly called "New Year's Day"; the twelfth day of
4 February, commonly called "Lincoln's Birthday"; the
5 third Monday of February, commonly called "Washing-
6 ton's Birthday"; the last Monday of May, commonly
7 called "Memorial Day"; the twentieth day of June, com-
8 monly called "West Virginia Day"; the fourth day of July,
9 commonly called "Independence Day"; the first Monday
10 of September, commonly called "Labor Day"; the second
11 Monday of October, commonly called "Columbus Day";
12 the eleventh day of November, hereinafter referred
13 to as "Veterans Day"; the fourth Thursday of No-

14 vember, commonly called "Thanksgiving Day"; the
15 twenty-fifth day of December, commonly called "Christ-
16 mas Day"; any national, state or other election day
17 throughout the district or municipality wherein held;
18 and all days that may be appointed or recommended by
19 the 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 falls
22 on Sunday, then it shall be lawful to observe the succeed-
23 ing Monday as such holiday. When the return day of any
24 summons or other court proceedings or any notice or
25 time fixed for holding any court or doing any official act
26 shall fall on any of said holidays, the ensuing secular
27 day shall be taken as meant and intended: *Provided*,
28 That nothing herein contained shall increase nor diminish
29 the legal school holidays provided for in section two,
30 article five, chapter eighteen-a.

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

Frederic B. Bane
Chairman Senate Committee

Phyllis Perledge
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

In effect ninety days from passage.

Howard W. Carson
Clerk of the Senate

C. A. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Robert C. Bland
President of the Senate

Lewis J. McMane
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 10th
day of March, 1972.

Arthur A. Shouse Jr.
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

Date 3/7/72

Time 12:47 p.m.