

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
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A Bill

Act 1117 of 2001
HOUSE BILL 2350

5 By: Representatives Cowling, Teague, Mack, Oglesby, Milum, *Carson, Judy, Holt, Jones, Fite*
6 By: Senators Horn, Hill
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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10 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 1, CHAPTER 5,
11 SUBCHAPTER 1, TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL SECTION TO
12 ESTABLISH THE THIRD WEEK OF SEPTEMBER EACH YEAR
13 AS NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE WEEK IN ARKANSAS; AND
14 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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17 TO ESTABLISH THE THIRD WEEK OF SEPTEMBER
18 OF EACH YEAR AS NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE
19 WEEK IN ARKANSAS.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 1, Chapter 5, Subchapter 1, is amended
25 to add an additional section to read as follows:

26 1-5-113. Native American Heritage Week in Arkansas.

27 (a) Beginning with September 16 through 22, 2001, the third week in
28 September of each year shall be known in Arkansas as "Native American
29 Heritage Week" to honor the integral role that Native Americans have played
30 in the history of the state and the rich contributions Native Americans have
31 made to Arkansas' history, including the state's role as home to many of the
32 roads and trails along the Trail of Tears.

33 (b) The Governor shall annually, prior to the third week in September,
34 issue a proclamation proclaiming "Native American Heritage Week", and in the
35 proclamation shall:

36 (1) Comment on the significance that Native Americans have

1 played in the state's history; and
2 (2) Call upon the citizens of the state to observe Native
3 American Heritage Week and to commemorate the Native American's cultural
4 contributions to Arkansas' heritage.

5 */s/ Cowling, et al.*

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