

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
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1091

5 By: Representative Hutchinson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO DECLARE MRS. DAISY BATES TO BE THE ARKANSAN
10 TO BE HONORED IN NATIONAL STATUARY HALL; TO AUTHORIZE
11 THE MARTIN LUTHER KING COMMISSION TO ACCEPT DONATIONS
12 AND TO CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF AN APPROPRIATE
13 STATUE TO HONOR HER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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26 SECTION 1. (a) Mrs. Daisy Bates is declared to be the person designated
27 by the State of Arkansas as the citizen of the State of Arkansas illustrious
28 for her historic renown as a civil rights leader and for her distinguished
29 civic services and deemed worthy of commemoration in the National Statuary
30 Hall pursuant to Act of Congress of July, 1864 (U. S. Code, Title 40, Sec.
31 187), and Congressional House Concurrent Resolution No. 47 passed February 24,
32 1933 (47 Stat. 1784).

33 (b) Upon the creation of a statue in her honor under this act, the
34 statue of Mrs. Daisy Bates shall be placed in the National Statuary Hall in
35 the capitol of the United States and shall replace the statue of Uriah Milton
36 Rose (1834-1913).

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SECTION 2. (a)(1) There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, Auditor of State, and Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, a trust fund to be known as the "Daisy Bates Statue Trust Fund".

(2) The fund shall consist of gifts, grants, and donations from individuals and organizations, there to be used exclusively for the purchasing and erecting of a statue of Mrs. Daisy Bates in National Statuary Hall.

(3) The Daisy Bates Statue Trust Fund shall be administered by the Martin Luther King Commission.

(b) The Martin Luther King Commission shall:

(1) Accept gifts, grants, and donations for the creation of a statue of Mrs. Daisy Bates;

(2) Contract for the purchase of an appropriate statue; and

(3) Donate the statue to National Statuary Hall.