



General Assembly

**Proposed Bill No. 182**

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LCO No. 646



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION  
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:

SEN. OSTEN, 19th Dist.

REP. CONLEY, 40th Dist.

REP. JOHNSON, 49th Dist.

REP. RILEY, 46th Dist.

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY AND  
JUNETEENTH INDEPENDENCE DAY AS LEGAL HOLIDAYS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 1-4 of the general statutes be amended to redesignate
- 2 Columbus Day as Indigenous Peoples' Day and to establish Juneteenth
- 3 Independence Day as a legal holiday.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To redesignate Columbus Day as Indigenous Peoples' Day and to  
establish Juneteenth Independence Day as a legal holiday.