



2022 South Dakota Legislature

Senate Bill 30

Introduced by: **Senator Nesiba**

1 **An Act to add Juneteenth as a state holiday.**

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

3 **Section 1. That § 1-5-1 be AMENDED:**

4 **1-5-1.** The first day of every week, known as Sunday; the first day of January,
 5 commonly known as New Year's Day; the third Monday in January, commonly known as
 6 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; the third Monday in February, the anniversary of the birthdays
 7 of Lincoln and Washington; the last Monday of May, commonly known as Memorial Day;
 8 the nineteenth day of June, commonly known as Juneteenth; the fourth day of July,
 9 commonly known as Independence Day; the first Monday in September, commonly known
 10 as Labor Day; the second Monday in October, commonly known as Native Americans' Day;
 11 the eleventh day of November, known as Veterans' Day; the fourth Thursday in November,
 12 commonly known as Thanksgiving Day; and the twenty-fifth day of December, commonly
 13 known as Christmas Day; and every day appointed by the President of the United States,
 14 or by the Governor of this state for a public fast, thanksgiving, or holiday ~~shall~~ must be
 15 observed in this state as a legal holiday.

16 If the first day of January, the nineteenth day of June, the fourth day of July, ~~the~~
 17 ~~first day of January,~~ the eleventh day of November, or the twenty-fifth day of December
 18 falls upon a Sunday, the Monday following is a legal holiday and ~~shall~~ must be so observed;
 19 and if any such day falls upon a Saturday, the preceding Friday is a legal holiday and ~~shall~~
 20 must be so observed.