

SENATE BILL No. 111

AN ACT concerning native Americans; amending K.S.A. 35-205 and K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 38-2285 and repealing the existing sections.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 35-205 is hereby amended to read as follows: 35-205. (a) The fourth Saturday of September of the present year of our Lord 1945, and the fourth Saturday of September of each year thereafter is hereby designated as “Native American ~~Indian~~-Day.”

(b) *The first Wednesday of February of 2014, and the first Wednesday of February of each year thereafter is hereby designated as “Native American Legislative Day at the Capitol.”*

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 38-2285 is hereby amended to read as follows: 38-2285. (a) The board of education of a school district shall award a high school diploma to any person requesting a diploma if such person: (1) Is at least 17 years of age; (2) is enrolled or resides in such school district; (3) is or has been a child in the custody of the secretary, or in the custody of a federally recognized Indian tribe in this state, at any time on or after such person’s 14th birthday; and (4) has achieved at least the minimum high school graduation requirements adopted by the state board of education.

(b) This section shall be part of and supplemental to the revised Kansas code for care of children.

Sec. 3. K.S.A. 35-205 and K.S.A. 2012 Supp. 38-2285 are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Kansas register.

I hereby certify that the above BILL originated in the SENATE, and passed that body

SENATE concurred in
HOUSE amendments _____

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

Passed the HOUSE
as amended _____

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

APPROVED _____

Governor.