

CHAPTER 1163
PAID STATE HOLIDAYS
S.F. 2101

AN ACT relating to Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday and Veterans Day as paid state holidays and providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 33.2, Code 1985, is amended by adding the following new subsection after subsection 1 and renumbering the remaining subsections:

NEW SUBSECTION. 2. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday, the third Monday in January.

Sec. 2. Section 33.2, Code 1985, is amended by adding the following new subsection after subsection 4 and renumbering the remaining subsections:

NEW SUBSECTION. 5. Veterans Day, November 11.

Sec. 3. Section 33.2, subsection 8, Code 1985, is amended by striking the subsection.

Sec. 4. This Act takes effect January 1, 1987.

Approved May 1, 1986

CHAPTER 1164
KING BIRTHDAY IS PUBLIC HOLIDAY
H.F. 2158

AN ACT to make the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. a legal public holiday.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 33.1, Code 1985, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 2. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday, the third Monday in January.

Sec. 2. Section 31.10, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

31.10 DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY

The ~~Sunday which falls on or nearest the fifteenth day~~ third Monday of January of each year is designated as Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, which shall be a recognition day in honor of the late civil rights leader and Nobel Peace Prize recipient, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The governor is authorized and requested to issue annually a proclamation designating such ~~Sunday Monday~~ as Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and calling on the people and officials of the state of Iowa to commemorate the life and principles of Dr. King, to display the American flag, and to hold appropriate private services and ceremonies.

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