
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 1229

DIGEST OF HB 1229 (Updated February 18, 1998 12:38 pm - DI 51)

Citations Affected: IC 32-1; noncode.

Synopsis: Adverse possession of local government property. Provides that real property owned by a political subdivision may not be acquired by adverse possession.

Effective: July 1, 1998.

Crooks, Kruse
(SENATE SPONSORS — MEEKS, HUME)

January 13, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
January 27, 1998, amended, reported — Do Pass.
February 2, 1998, read second time, ordered engrossed. Engrossed.
February 3, 1998, read third time, passed. Yeas 94, nays 2.

SENATE ACTION

February 9, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
February 19, 1998, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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Second Regular Session 110th General Assembly (1998)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1229

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 32-1-20-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 2. Title to real property owned by the state **or a political subdivision (as defined in IC 36-1-2-13)** may not be alienated by adverse possession.

SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: **A cause of action based on adverse possession may not be commenced against a political subdivision (as defined in IC 36-1-2-13) after June 30, 1998.**

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