

HOUSE BILL No. 1510

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 14-8-2-107; IC 14-21-1-6.5; IC 14-21-1-32; IC 16-37-1-11.7.

Synopsis: Heritage birth certificate program. Provides for the issuance of commemorative heritage birth certificates. Establishes a fee for issuance with part of the fee to offset costs and the remainder of the fee for deposit in a historic preservation fund. Establishes the historic preservation fund for use of the division of historic preservation and archeology of the department of natural resources.

Effective: July 1, 1999.

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January 19, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Human Affairs.

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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.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1998 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 14-8-2-107 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 107. "Fund" has the
3 following meaning:
4 (1) For purposes of IC 14-9-5, the meaning set forth in
5 IC 14-9-5-1.
6 (2) For purposes of IC 14-9-8-21, the meaning set forth in
7 IC 14-9-8-21.
8 (3) For purposes of IC 14-9-9, the meaning set forth in
9 IC 14-9-9-3.
10 (4) For purposes of IC 14-12-1, the meaning set forth in
11 IC 14-12-1-1.
12 (5) For purposes of IC 14-12-2, the meaning set forth in
13 IC 14-12-2-2.
14 (6) For purposes of IC 14-12-3, the meaning set forth in
15 IC 14-12-3-2.
16 (7) For purposes of IC 14-13-1, the meaning set forth in
17 IC 14-13-1-2.



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- 1 (8) For purposes of IC 14-13-2, the meaning set forth in
 2 IC 14-13-2-3.
 3 (9) For purposes of IC 14-19-4, the meaning set forth in
 4 IC 14-19-4-1.
 5 (10) For purposes of IC 14-19-5, the meaning set forth in
 6 IC 14-19-5-1.
 7 (11) For purposes of IC 14-20-1, the meaning set forth in
 8 IC 14-20-1-3.
 9 (12) For purposes of IC 14-20-11, the meaning set forth in
 10 IC 14-20-11-2.
 11 **(13) For purposes of IC 14-21-1, the meaning set forth in**
 12 **IC 14-21-1-6.5.**
 13 **(14)** For purposes of IC 14-22-3, the meaning set forth in
 14 IC 14-22-3-1.
 15 ~~(14)~~ **(15)** For purposes of IC 14-22-4, the meaning set forth in
 16 IC 14-22-4-1.
 17 ~~(15)~~ **(16)** For purposes of IC 14-22-5, the meaning set forth in
 18 IC 14-22-5-1.
 19 ~~(16)~~ **(17)** For purposes of IC 14-22-8, the meaning set forth in
 20 IC 14-22-8-1.
 21 ~~(17)~~ **(18)** For purposes of IC 14-22-34, the meaning set forth in
 22 IC 14-22-34-2.
 23 ~~(18)~~ **(19)** For purposes of IC 14-23-3, the meaning set forth in
 24 IC 14-23-3-1.
 25 ~~(19)~~ **(20)** For purposes of IC 14-25-2-4, the meaning set forth in
 26 IC 14-25-2-4.
 27 ~~(20)~~ **(21)** For purposes of IC 14-25-10, the meaning set forth in
 28 IC 14-25-10-1.
 29 ~~(21)~~ **(22)** For purposes of IC 14-25-11-19, the meaning set forth in
 30 IC 14-25-11-19.
 31 ~~(22)~~ **(23)** For purposes of IC 14-28-5, the meaning set forth in
 32 IC 14-28-5-2.
 33 ~~(23)~~ **(24)** For purposes of IC 14-31-2, the meaning set forth in
 34 IC 14-31-2-5.
 35 ~~(24)~~ **(25)** For purposes of IC 14-25-12, the meaning set forth in
 36 IC 14-25-12-1.
 37 ~~(25)~~ **(26)** For purposes of IC 14-33-14, the meaning set forth in
 38 IC 14-33-14-3.
 39 ~~(26)~~ **(27)** For purposes of IC 14-33-21, the meaning set forth in
 40 IC 14-33-21-1.
 41 ~~(27)~~ **(28)** For purposes of IC 14-34-6-15, the meaning set forth in
 42 IC 14-34-6-15.

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1 ~~(28)~~**(29)** For purposes of IC 14-34-14, the meaning set forth in
2 IC 14-34-14-1.

3 ~~(29)~~**(30)** For purposes of IC 14-37-10, the meaning set forth in
4 IC 14-37-10-1.

5 SECTION 2. IC 14-21-1-6.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
6 AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY**
7 **1, 1999]: Sec. 6.5. As used in this chapter, "fund" refers to the**
8 **historic preservation fund established by section 32 of this chapter.**

9 SECTION 3. IC 14-21-1-32 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
10 AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY**
11 **1, 1999]: Sec. 32. (a) The historic preservation fund is established**
12 **to carry out the purposes of this chapter that relate to historic**
13 **preservation. The department shall administer the fund.**

14 **(b) The following shall be deposited in the fund:**

15 **(1) The money specified in IC 16-37-1-11.7(d)(2)(B) that is**
16 **collected from the sale of heritage birth certificates.**

17 **(2) Gifts of money to the fund or the proceeds from the sale of**
18 **gifts donated to the fund.**

19 **(c) Money in the fund must be used to supplement and not to**
20 **replace state general fund appropriations to the department.**

21 **(d) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not**
22 **revert to the state general fund. However, if the fund is abolished,**
23 **the money in the fund reverts to the state general fund.**

24 SECTION 4. IC 16-37-1-11.7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
25 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 11.7. (a) The
26 department shall design, promote, and sell heirloom **and heritage** birth
27 certificates.

28 **(b) An heirloom or a heritage birth certificate must:**

29 **(1) contain the same information as a birth certificate issued**
30 **under IC 16-37-2-9;**

31 **(2) be specially designed for framing and display;**

32 **(3) contain a background design, an emblem, or colors that**
33 **designate the birth certificate as an heirloom or a heritage birth**
34 **certificate; and**

35 **(4) contain any other information that the department considers**
36 **necessary.**

37 **(c) In addition to the requirements of subsection (b), the**
38 **following apply to a heritage birth certificate:**

39 **(1) A heritage birth certificate must be offered for a variety of**
40 **heritages including the following:**

41 **(A) African American.**

42 **(B) Asian American.**



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- 1 **(C) European American.**
 2 **(D) Hispanic American.**
 3 **(E) Native American.**
 4 **(F) Pioneer Settler.**
 5 **(G) Other heritages that the department designates.**
 6 **(2) A heritage birth certificate may be issued only upon the**
 7 **presentation of genealogical findings showing that the person**
 8 **named on the certificate has the appropriate heritage for**
 9 **which a heritage birth certificate is sought.**
 10 **(3) A heritage birth certificate commemorates but is not proof**
 11 **that the person named on the certificate has the heritage for**
 12 **which a heritage birth certificate is issued.**
 13 **(d) The department shall charge a fee of thirty dollars (\$30) for an**
 14 **heirloom or a heritage birth certificate. The fee is apportioned as**
 15 **follows:**
 16 **(1) For an heirloom birth certificate:**
 17 **(A) seven dollars (\$7) must be retained by the state department**
 18 **to offset the cost of the heirloom birth certificate; and**
 19 **(~~2~~) (B) twenty-three dollars (\$23) must be deposited in the**
 20 **infant mortality account established under IC 12-17-16-13.5.**
 21 **(2) For a heritage birth certificate:**
 22 **(A) seven dollars (\$7) must be retained by the state**
 23 **department to offset the cost of the heritage birth**
 24 **certificate; and**
 25 **(B) twenty-three dollars (\$23) must be deposited in the**
 26 **historic preservation fund established by IC 14-21-1-32.**

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