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AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 41-835.02, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO HISTORIC NAMES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
2 Section 1. Section 41-835.02, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended
3 to read:

4 41-835.02. State board on geographic and historic names;
5 membership; expenses; quorum; staff support;
6 chairperson

7 A. The state board on geographic and historic names is established
8 consisting of:

9 1. One member who is appointed by the head of each of the following
10 agencies or organizations:

- 11 (a) The department of transportation.
- 12 (b) The state land department.
- 13 (c) The Arizona state library, archives and public records.
- 14 (d) The Arizona historical society.
- 15 (e) The Arizona commerce authority.
- 16 (f) The department of economic security.
- 17 (g) A geography department of an Arizona university.

18 2. Three members of the public who are appointed by the governor,
19 at least one of whom is ~~an enrolled member of a recognized tribe or Indian~~
20 ~~community located in Arizona~~ A CURRENT OR FORMER TRIBAL ELECTED OFFICIAL
21 WHO HAS BEEN NOMINATED BY THE PERSON'S TRIBE TO SERVE ON THE BOARD.

22 B. Members shall serve staggered five-year terms to begin and end
23 on the third Monday in January, except that the member appointed pursuant
24 to subsection A, paragraph 1, subdivision (g) of this section shall serve
25 a two-year term. The initial appointment of the member appointed in
26 subsection A, paragraph 1, subdivision (g) of this section shall be made
27 by Arizona state university. On the expiration of the initial term of the
28 member appointed in subsection A, paragraph 1, subdivision (g) of this
29 section, the position shall be appointed by the university of Arizona, and
30 on the expiration of that term northern Arizona university shall appoint
31 the member. The three state universities shall continue to rotate the
32 appointment of this member on the board.

33 C. Members are not eligible to receive compensation but are
34 eligible for reimbursement of expenses pursuant to title 38, chapter 4,
35 article 2.

36 D. The Arizona state library, archives and public records shall
37 provide staff support to the board.

38 E. A majority of the members constitutes a quorum.

39 F. The board shall annually elect a chairperson and vice
40 chairperson from among its members.