

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 65

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS; AMENDING CHAPTER 1, TITLE 73, IDAHO
2 CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 73-123, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR
3 THE PROTECTION OF CERTAIN MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS.
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5 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

6 SECTION 1. That Chapter 1, Title 73, Idaho Code, be, and the same is
7 hereby amended by the addition thereto of a NEW SECTION, to be known and des-
8 ignated as Section 73-123, Idaho Code, and to read as follows:

9 73-123. PROTECTION OF CERTAIN MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS. No Revolution-
10 ary War, War of 1812, Mexican War, Civil War, Spanish-American War, World War
11 I, World War II, Korean War, Vietnam War, Persian Gulf War, Native American,
12 or African-American history monuments or memorials in place prior to July 1,
13 2021, erected on public property of the state or any of its political sub-
14 divisions may be relocated, removed, disturbed, or altered without approval
15 of the legislature via concurrent resolution. No school, street, bridge,
16 structure, park, preserve, reserve, or other public area of the state or any
17 of its political subdivisions in place prior to July 1, 2021, dedicated in
18 memory of or named for any historic figure or historic event may be renamed or
19 rededicated without approval of the legislature via concurrent resolution.
20 No person may prevent the public body responsible for the monument or memo-
21 rial from taking proper measures and exercising proper means for the protec-
22 tion, preservation, and care of the monuments, memorials, or nameplates.