

CHAPTER 212  
SB 105 - FINAL VERSION

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty One*

AN ACT establishing April 8, 2024 as solar eclipse day.

*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1 212:1 Statement of Intent.

2 I. Since before recorded history, human action, imagination, and passion have been inspired  
3 and guided by the celestial bodies, none more important than our sun, the source of all life on Earth,  
4 and our moon, our constant reminder of beauty, change, and hope in times of darkness.

5 II. On April 8, 2024, the Sun, the Moon, and we here on Earth will perfectly align in a total  
6 solar eclipse, an exceptional and providential occurrence over the ages, reminding our species once  
7 again of just how small we are, how insignificant our differences are, how vast and powerful the  
8 universe that sustains us is, and how we are all, indeed, intimately and irrevocably connected to one  
9 another.

10 III. New Hampshire will have the unique good fortune of being in the path of totality of this  
11 magnificent phenomenon, in perfect alignment with our sun and moon.

12 IV. Moreover, New Hampshire, in the same spirit that we welcome all to participate in our  
13 unique political landscape, shall once again open its arms so that all people from around the country  
14 and in fact the globe can be here at that moment to witness, and be humbled by, the awe-inspiring  
15 sight of the heavenly bodies moving in their spheres.

16 212:2 Solar Eclipse Day. The governor shall proclaim April 8, 2024 as solar eclipse day in New  
17 Hampshire and shall urge all citizens of the state to commemorate the day with appropriate  
18 educational activities.

212:3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

Approved: August 11, 2021  
Effective Date: October 10, 2021

Senate Bill No. 105

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SENATE BILL 105

Senate Enrolled Bills Committee Member

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SPONSORS Sen. Cavanaugh

House Enrolled Bills Committee Member

COMMITTEE Executive Department

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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President of the Senate

Explanation Matter which is not subject to the provisions of article VIII, section 12.

Matter removed from the calendar by the Senate on 8/13/21.

Matter which is not subject to the provisions of article VIII, section 12.

Governor

Approved:

Effective Date:

Due Back from the Governor: 8/13/21

BY SECRETARY OF STATE  
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PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR