

AB. 329

# State Flag and Department Logos Act

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To Be Enacted in the Atlantic Commonwealth Assembly

Whereas, the Atlantic Commonwealth flag is very outdated

*Whereas*, the Atlantic Commonwealth flag has no symbolic connection to the Atlantic Commonwealth

Whereas, changing our flag could help more people show our state pride

*Whereas*, if we change the flag, a changing of the symbols of the Departments of State will need to change.

THE PEOPLE OF THE ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH, REPRESENTED IN ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

## Section I: Short Title, Extent, and Severability

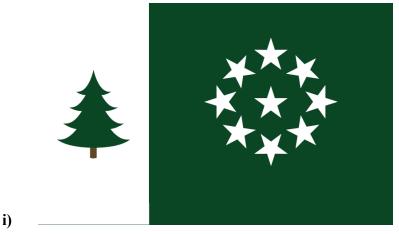
- a) This piece of legislation shall be referred to as the State Flag and Department Logos Act
- b) This act comes into force on the next January 1st after the passage of the Act
- c) The provisions of this act are severable. If one part of this is to be found unconstitutional, then that part will be struck.

### **Section II: Definitions:**

a) "Flag" shall be defined as the Flag of the Atlantic Commonwealth

### **Section III: Atlantic State Flag**

a) After the passage of this Act, the Atlantic State Flag shall be changed to this



b) The flag is described as "A green pine tree on a white field next to 8 white stars surrounding one white star on a green field".

# Section IV: Disposal of Old State Flags

- a) After 30 days of the passage of this act, any citizen of the Atlantic Commonwealth who has an old state flag may trade in an old flag for a new flag of the same size
  - i) If they do not want a new flag, they will receive a monetary amount equivalent to the flag
- b) All the state flags will be either used for the creation of new flags or donated to cloth recycling facilities
- c) There will be no consequences for flying the old flag.

# **Section V: Atlantic State Department Logos**

a) The Office of the Governor's logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH
Office of the Governor

b) The Office of the Lieutenant Governor's logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH
Office of the Lieutenant Governor

c) The Office of the Speaker's logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH
Office of the Speaker

d) The Office of the Attorney General's logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH
Office of the Attorney General

e) The Atlantic Department of Finance and Infrastructure's logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH
Department of Finance
and Infrastructure

) The Atlantic Department of the Environment's logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH

Department of the Environment

g) The Atlantic Department of Labor, Education, Health and Human Services' logo will be changed to this



ATLANTIC COMMONWEALTH
Department of Labor, Education
Health and Human Services

h) These logos may be used in lieu of the seal on Directives, Executive Orders, Press Releases, and official publications