

Effective
date.

~~a report is filed, shall take effect on January first, nineteen hundred forty-one, and shall be applicable to reports filed theretofore or thereafter.~~

CHAPTER 717

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to observance of bill of rights week

Became a law April 23, 1940, with the approval of the Governor. Passed, three-fifths being present

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

New
§ 52-a,
added.

Section 1. Chapter twenty-one of the laws of nineteen hundred nine, entitled "An act relating to education, constituting chapter sixteen of the consolidated laws," as amended by chapter one hundred and forty of the laws of nineteen hundred ten, is hereby amended by inserting therein a new section, to follow section fifty-two, to be section fifty-two-a, to read as follows:

§ 52-a. **Observance of bill of rights week.** The regents shall designate a week during each year and prescribe a uniform course of exercises in the public schools of the state suitable for pupils of various ages to instill into the minds of such pupils the purpose, meaning and importance of the bill of rights articles in the federal and state constitutions. Such exercises shall be in addition to any prescribed courses of study in the schools.

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Sept. 1,
1940.

§ 2. This act shall take effect September first, nineteen hundred forty.

CHAPTER 718

~~AN ACT to amend the alcoholic beverage control law, in relation to cider producers' and wholesalers' licenses~~

~~Became a law April 23, 1940, with the approval of the Governor. Passed, three-fifths being present~~

~~*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*~~

§ 3
subd. 1
amended.

~~Section 1. Subdivision one of section three of chapter four hundred and seventy-eight of the laws of nineteen hundred thirty-four, entitled "An act relating to alcoholic beverages, constituting chapter three-b of the consolidated laws," is hereby amended to read as follows:~~

~~1. "Alcoholic beverage" or "beverage" mean and include alcohol, spirits, liquor, wine, beer, cider¹ and every liquid or solid, patented or not, containing alcohol, spirits, wine or beer and capable of being consumed by a human being.~~

¹ Word "cider" inserted.