

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 430

BY AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO STATE NOXIOUS AND INVASIVE WEED AWARENESS; AMENDING CHAPTER 45,
2 TITLE 67, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 67-4513, IDAHO
3 CODE, TO PROVIDE THAT ANNUALLY THE WEEK PRIOR TO THE MEMORIAL DAY WEEK-
4 END SHALL BE IDAHO NOXIOUS AND INVASIVE WEED AWARENESS WEEK; AND DECLAR-
5 ING AN EMERGENCY.
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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

8 SECTION 1. That Chapter 45, Title 67, Idaho Code, be, and the same is
9 hereby amended by the addition thereto of a NEW SECTION, to be known and des-
10 ignated as Section 67-4513, Idaho Code, and to read as follows:

11 67-4513. STATE NOXIOUS AND INVASIVE WEED AWARENESS WEEK. Every year,
12 starting in 2014, the week prior to the Memorial Day weekend shall hereby be
13 designated as "Idaho Noxious and Invasive Weed Awareness Week." This week
14 shall serve as a week to educate Idaho's citizens about the serious impacts
15 of noxious and invasive plants and their direct impacts to Idaho's economy,
16 waters, lands and agriculture. Those entities already tasked with promoting
17 noxious and invasive weed control and education and outreach are encouraged
18 to lead the charge in celebrating "Idaho Noxious and Invasive Weed Awareness
19 Week" and educating Idaho's citizens to help stop the spread of noxious and
20 invasive weeds.

21 SECTION 2. An emergency existing therefor, which emergency is hereby
22 declared to exist, this act shall be in full force and effect on and after its
23 passage and approval.