

BILL NO. 1.
C H O C T A W N A T I O N .
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AN ACT
PROVIDING FOR A COMMISSION TO TREAT WITH
THE UNITED STATES COMMISSION TO
THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES
RELATIVE TO CLOSING THE
CITIZENSHIP ROLLS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. That the Principal Chief of the Choctaw Nation is hereby authorized and directed to appoint two persons citizens of the Choctaw Nation who shall in conjunction with the present citizenship Commission and together with himself as ex-officio chairman, constitute a commission to meet the United States Commission to the Five Civilized tribes, and jointly with such commission as may be created by the proper authority on behalf of the Chickasaw Nation, negotiate a treaty supplementary to the Atoka Agreement providing for ratifying and closing the citizenship rolls, and such treaty that may be made to that end, shall become effective only when submitted and ratified in like manner as the Atoka Agreement.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED,
That the compensation of the two additional commissioners to be appointed shall be six dollars per day ~~xxx~~ while actually engaged in such service and ten cents per mile one way over the most direct Railway route, and the sum of two hundred dollars is hereby appropriated to pay said expense, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and that the National Auditor shall issue his warrant for the compensation of said members of the commission herein provided for, upon the certificate of the Principal Chief, and the National Treasurer shall pay the same, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the House January 4th 1901.

Thomas W. Hunt

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Passed the Senate January 4th 1901.

Green McCortain

President of the Senate.

Approved, January 4th 1901.

G. H. Dukes

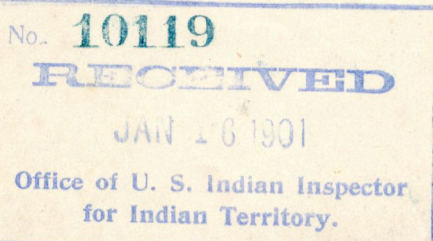
Principal Chief of
The Choctaw Nation.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

February 5 1901

APPROVED,

William M. Thibault



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OFFICE
NATIONAL SECRETARY.
CHOCTAW NATION.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY:

That the above and hereto attached Bill No. 1, is an Act of the Choctaw General Council passed at a special Session thereof in January 1901, and approved by the Principal Chief of the Choctaw Nation in his official character of January 4th. 1901, and that I do hereby respectfully submit the same for the approval of the President of the United States, in accordance with the provision of Section 29 of the Act of Congress of June 28, 1898, (30 Stats. 495), entitled "An Act for the protection of the people of the Indian Territory, and for other purposes."



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Soloman J. Homer, National Secretary of the Choctaw Nation, have hereunto affixed my official signature and the Great Seal of the Choctaw Nation this the 8th day of January One thousand Nine Hundred and One.

Soloman J. Homer.

National Secretary of
The Choctaw Nation.

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