

Legal Research 2006
Session 4: Federal Statutes
In-Class Exercise 4B

(NOTE TO INSTRUCTOR: Provide a copy of the slip law cited below from GPO Access or from the library's collection of slip laws)

Examine the slip law provided and answer the following questions:

1. What is the Popular Name (Short Title) of your Act?

Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Reauthorization Act of 2002.

2. What is the general purpose of the Act? (You may summarize if the purpose statement is too long).

To reauthorize the Native American Housing Assistance and Self –Determination Act of 1996.

3. What is the Public Law number for your Act?

P.L. 107-292

4. What is the *Statutes at Large* citation?

116 STAT. 2053

5. When was this Act signed into law (Approved)?

Nov. 13, 2002

6. What was the bill number for this Act?

S.1210

7. Examine **Sec. 7. Federal Guarantees for Financing for Tribal Housing Activities.** What section of the *United States Code* has been amended by this section of the Act?

25 U.S.C. 4191

8. What is the heading or name of the section in the U.S.C.S.?

Authority and Requirements

9. Examine the historical reference located in parenthesis immediately following the text of the statute. What is the original enactment date of this statute?

Oct. 26, 1996

10. How many times has it been amended?

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11. The cumulative supplement (pocket part) of the U.S.C.S. volume you consulted covers legislation through which Congress and session?

109th Congress, 1st Session

12. Cite the statute according to *Bluebook* Rule 12.3 and Table 1. Cite to the version of the code you used to complete this exercise (*U.S.C.A.* or *U.S.C.S.*).

25 U.S.C.S. § 4191 (LexisNexis 2004 & Supp. 2006).