

## Public Law 92-429

September 23, 1972  
[H. J. Res. 1193]

## JOINT RESOLUTION

To provide for the designation of the week which begins on September 24, 1972, as "National Microfilm Week".

National Micro-  
film Week.  
Designation  
authorization.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation (1) designating the week which begins on September 24, 1972, as "National Microfilm Week"; and (2) inviting the Governors and mayors of States and local governments of the United States to issue similar proclamations.

Approved September 23, 1972.

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[H. R. 9222]

## AN ACT

To correct deficiencies in the law relating to the crimes of counterfeiting and forgery.

Postal money  
orders.  
Counterfeiting  
and forgery.  
62 Stat. 712;  
84 Stat. 777.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That section 500 of title 18, United States Code, as amended by section 6(j)(5) of the Postal Reorganization Act, Public Law 91-375, is further amended to read as follows:

**"§ 500. Money orders**

"Whoever, with intent to defraud, falsely makes, forges, counterfeits, engraves, or prints any order in imitation of or purporting to be a blank money order or a money order issued by or under the direction of the Post Office Department or Postal Service; or

"Whoever forges or counterfeits the signature or initials of any person authorized to issue money orders upon or to any money order, postal note, or blank therefor provided or issued by or under the direction of the Post Office Department or Postal Service, or post office department or corporation of any foreign country, and payable in the United States, or any material signature or indorsement thereon, or any material signature to any receipt or certificate of identification thereof; or

"Whoever falsely alters, in any material respect, any such money order or postal note; or

"Whoever, with intent to defraud, passes, utters or publishes or attempts to pass, utter or publish any such forged or altered money order or postal note, knowing any material initials, signature, stamp impression or indorsement thereon to be false, forged, or counterfeited, or any material alteration therein to have been falsely made; or

"Whoever issues any money order or postal note without having previously received or paid the full amount of money payable therefor, with the purpose of fraudulently obtaining or receiving, or fraudulently enabling any other person, either directly or indirectly, to obtain or receive from the United States or Postal Service, or any officer, employee, or agent thereof, any sum of money whatever; or

"Whoever embezzles, steals, or knowingly converts to his own use or to the use of another, or without authority converts or disposes of any blank money order form provided by or under the authority of the Post Office Department or Postal Service; or