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HB 05769

Rep. Dave Severin

5 ILCS 460/110 new

Amends the State Designations Act. Designates the strawberry milkshake as the official State beverage of the State of Illinois.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Dave Severin

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HR 00884 Rep. Amy Briel

Congratulates the Illinois Department of Natural Resources on the 50th anniversary of the dedication of Margery C. Carlson Nature Preserve. Commends its ongoing commitment to conservation, education, and stewardship.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Amy Briel

HR 00885 Rep. Kimberly Du Buclet

Recognizes the extraordinary artistic, cultural, and historical significance of the Benin Bronzes, including their craftsmanship, symbolism, and enduring global importance. Further recognizes the historical injustice associated with the original creation of the Benin Bronzes and the subsequent British acquisition and distribution of the relics. Acknowledges the interconnected histories of the Benin Bronzes, the transatlantic slave trade, and colonial violence and affirms the importance of presenting these histories accurately, responsibly, and with cultural sensitivity. Encourages museums and cultural institutions to continue engaging with source communities, scholars, and the public to promote ethical stewardship, shared understanding, and educational access to this heritage. Supports efforts to use the Benin Bronzes as instruments for learning, dialogue, and cultural healing, fostering greater awareness of Africa's rich artistic traditions and the historical forces that shaped their global journey. Commits to using the platform of the Illinois General Assembly to promote public education, historical literacy, and constructive international cultural engagement grounded in respect, collaboration, and truth.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Kimberly Du Buclet

HR 00886 Rep. Jackie Haas

Congratulates the Illinois Department of Natural Resources on the 60th anniversary of the dedication of Kankakee River Nature Preserve and commends its ongoing commitment to conservation, education, and stewardship.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Jackie Haas

HR 00887 Rep. Natalie A. Manley

Congratulates Chief Phil Arnold on being named the 2026 ILACP Police Chief of the Year, thanks him for his many years of dedicated service to the State of Illinois, and wishes him continued success in all his future endeavors.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Natalie A. Manley

HR 00888 Rep. Michelle Mussman

Congratulates Betty Lindquist on her retirement from the field of special education after decades of dedicated service. Wishes her all the best in her future endeavors.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Michelle Mussman

HR 00889 Rep. Marcus C. Evans, Jr.

Mourns the passing of Boaz Isaiah "Bo" Flemister.

May 11 26 H Filed with the Clerk by Rep. Marcus C. Evans, Jr.