

1 AN ACT concerning government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The State Commemorative Dates Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 7 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 490/7 new)

7 Sec. 7. Indigenous Peoples Day. The last Monday in  
8 September of each year is designated as Indigenous Peoples Day  
9 to be observed throughout the State as a day to recognize the  
10 contributions of indigenous peoples with suitable ceremony and  
11 fellowship designed to promote greater understanding and  
12 kinship between indigenous peoples and non-indigenous peoples  
13 of the State of Illinois.

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
15 becoming law.