

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 195 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 490/195 new)

7 Sec. 195. Illinois Constitution Day. August 26th of each  
8 year is designated as Illinois Constitution Day, to be observed  
9 throughout the State as a day to commemorate August 26, 1818 as  
10 the day Illinois ratified its first State Constitution.