

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 8 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 490/8 new)

7 Sec. 8. Sikh Awareness and Appreciation Month. The month of  
8 April of each year is designated as Sikh Awareness and  
9 Appreciation Month to be observed throughout the State as a  
10 month to recognize the many ways that Sikh Americans have  
11 influenced American history, achievement, culture, and  
12 innovation.