

# HB2775



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

HB2775

Introduced 2/21/2013, by Rep. Donald L. Moffitt

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

5 ILCS 490/175 new

Amends the State Commemorative Dates Act. Designates the second Wednesday in May of each year as Mother Mary Ann Bickerdyke Day, to be observed throughout the State as a day set apart to honor Mother Mary Ann Bickerdyke of Galesburg, military nurses, and the contribution of nurses to the State of Illinois and the United States of America. Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

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 175 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 490/175 new)

7 Sec. 175. Mother Mary Ann Bickerdyke Day. The second  
8 Wednesday in May of each year is designated as Mother Mary Ann  
9 Bickerdyke Day, to be observed throughout the State as a day  
10 set apart to honor Mother Mary Ann Bickerdyke of Galesburg,  
11 military nurses, and the contribution of nurses to the State of  
12 Illinois and the United States of America.

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