

1 AN ACT concerning State 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 190 as follows:

6 (5 ILCS 490/190 new)

7 Sec. 190. National Public Safety Telecommunicators' Week.  
8 The second full week of April of each year is designated as  
9 National Public Safety Telecommunicators' Week, to be observed  
10 throughout the State as a week to honor the dedicated men and  
11 women who answer calls for help at 911 centers across the  
12 country. These call takers and dispatchers provide the first  
13 critical contact for those in need of emergency services.  
14 Telecommunicators access, monitor, and disseminate information  
15 of critical importance to the safety of public officials and  
16 success of public safety goals.