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Chapter 28
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An Act To Establish May 25th as Missing Persons Day

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, this legislation concerns an observance occurring at a time before the end of this session; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 1 MRSA §150 is enacted to read:

§ 150. Missing Persons Day

The Governor shall annually issue a proclamation establishing May 25th as Missing Persons Day. The proclamation must invite and urge citizens, law enforcement agencies, family service agencies and other suitable organizations and groups to observe this day through appropriate activities.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act takes effect when approved.

Effective April 4, 2007.