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## IN SENATE

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AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to designating February fourteenth, to be known as "Congenital Heart Defects Awareness Day", as a day of commemoration

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 168-a of the executive law, as separately amended by chapters 31, 72, 180 and 199 of the laws of 2010, is amended to read as follows:

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3. The following days shall be days of commemoration in each year: January sixth, to be known as "Haym Salomon Day", January twenty-sev-5 6 enth, to be known as "Holocaust Remembrance Day", February fourth, to be 7 known as "Rosa Parks Day", FEBRUARY FOURTEENTH, TO BE KNOWN AS 8 ITAL HEART DEFECTS AWARENESS DAY", February fifteenth, to be known as "Susan B. Anthony Day", February sixteenth, to be known as "Lithuanian 9 10 Independence Day", February twenty-eighth, to be known as "Gulf War Veterans' Day", March fourth, to be known as "Pulaski Day", March tenth, 11 to be known as "Harriet Tubman Day", March twenty-ninth, to be known as 12 "Vietnam Veterans' Day", April ninth, to be known as "POW Recognition 13 Day", April twenty-seventh, to be known as "Coretta Scott King Day", 14 15 April twenty-eighth, to be known as "Workers' Memorial Day", the first Tuesday in May to be known as "New York State Teacher Day", May seven-16 17 teenth, to be known as "Thurgood Marshall Day", the first Sunday in June, to be known as "Children's Day", June second, to be known as 18 "Italian Independence Day", June twelfth, to be known as "Women Veterans Recognition Day", June nineteenth, to be known as "Juneteenth Freedom 19 20 Day", June twenty-fifth, to be known as "Korean War Veterans' Day", 21 August twenty-fourth, to be known as "Ukrainian Independence Day", 22

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

August twenty-sixth, to be known as "Women's Equality Day", September

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eleventh, to be known as "Battle of Plattsburgh Day" and also to be known as "September 11th Remembrance Day", September thirteenth, to be known as "John Barry Day" and also to be known as "Uncle Sam Day in the State of New York", September seventeenth, to be known as "Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben Memorial Day", the third Friday in September to be known as "New York State POW/MIA Recognition Day" except if such date of 5 6 7 commemoration cannot be observed due to a religious holiday, such observances shall then be conducted on the second Friday of September, the 8 last Saturday in September, to be known as "War of 1812 Day", the fourth 9 10 Saturday of September, known as "Native-American Day", the last Sunday in September, to be known as "Gold Star Mothers' Day", October fifth, to 11 be known as "Raoul Wallenberg Day", October eleventh, to be known as 12 "New Netherland Day in the State of New York", October eighteenth, to be 13 14 known as "Disabilities History Day", October twenty-seventh, to be known 15 as "Theodore Roosevelt Day", November ninth, to be known as "Witness for Tolerance Day", November twelfth, to be known as "Elizabeth Cady Stanton 16 Day", the third Tuesday in November to be known as "New York State 17 School-Related Professionals Recognition Day", November thirtieth, to be 18 19 known as "Shirley Chisholm Day", December seventh, to be known as "Pearl Harbor Day", December sixteenth, to be known as "Bastogne Day" and that 20 21 day of the Asian lunar calendar designated as new year to be known as "Asian New Year". 22

23 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.