

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-TWO

S.P. 718 - L.D. 2000

An Act To Update the Designation of Vietnam War Remembrance Day

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

Whereas, this legislation changes the date of commemoration for veterans of the Vietnam War from March 30th to March 29th; and

Whereas, this legislation needs to take effect before the expiration of the 90-day period so that it applies to this year's commemoration; 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-G, as enacted by PL 2011, c. 92, §1, is amended to read:

§150-G. Vietnam War Remembrance Veterans Day

In recognition of the service and sacrifice of those veterans of the United States Armed Forces who served during the Vietnam War, the State designates March ~~30th~~ 29th of each year as Vietnam War ~~Remembrance~~ Veterans Day. The Governor shall annually issue a proclamation urging the people of the State to observe the day with appropriate celebration and activity.

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