

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. Eat Local, Buy Illinois Products Day. The first  
8 Saturday of each month is designated as Eat Local, Buy Illinois  
9 Products Day to promote local food initiatives, Illinois  
10 agribusiness, and to encourage residents to re-invest in the  
11 local economy. The Department of Agriculture's Illinois  
12 Product Logo Program shall assist in increasing awareness and  
13 sales of Illinois food and agribusiness products.

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