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Allen, Gilb, Yuko, Combs, Beatty, Hartnett, Key, Woodard, Widowfield,  
Redfern, Ujvagi, Driehaus, Miller, DeBose, Flowers, Distel, Carano, Hughes,  
Reidelbach, Trakas, Law, Hood, Smith, S., Harwood, Strahorn, Wolpert,  
Bocchieri, Oelslager, Willamowski, Skindell, Book, Brown, Otterman**

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**A B I L L**

To enact section 5.2231 of the Revised Code to 1  
designate September 22 as "Emancipation Day." 2

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That section 5.2231 of the Revised Code be enacted 3  
to read as follows: 4

**Sec. 5.2231.** The twenty-second day of September shall be 5  
designated as "Emancipation Day," in honor of the anniversary of 6  
the issuance of the Emancipation Proclamation by President Abraham 7  
Lincoln on September 22, 1862. 8