

Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Bill Analysis

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Am. S.B. 239*

131st General Assembly (As Reported by H. State Government)

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Hughes, Beagle, Gardner, Bacon, Balderson, Yuko, Skindell, Eklund, Seitz, Uecker, Brown, LaRose, Hottinger, Burke, Cafaro, Coley, Faber, Gentile, Hite, Jones, Jordan, Lehner, Manning, Obhof, Oelslager, Patton, Peterson, Sawyer, Schiavoni, Tavares, Thomas, Widener, Williams

BILL SUMMARY

• Designates August 7 as Ohio Purple Heart Day.

CONTENT AND OPERATION

The bill designates the seventh day of August as Ohio Purple Heart Day, in harmony with National Purple Heart Day, and in honor of the service and sacrifice of combat wounded veterans.¹

HISTORY

| ACTION | DATE |
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| Introduced | 11-10-15 |
| Reported, S. State & Local Gov't | 12-09-15 |
| Passed Senate (33-0) | 01-20-16 |
| Reported, H. State Government | |

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^{*} This analysis was prepared before the report of the House State Government Committee appeared in the House Journal. Note that the list of co-sponsors and the legislative history may be incomplete.

¹ R.C. 5.46.