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H.B. No. 3541

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to designating July 21 as First Lady Frances Cox Henderson
3 Remembrance Day.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 662, Government Code, is
6 amended by adding Section 662.054 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 662.054. FIRST LADY FRANCES COX HENDERSON REMEMBRANCE
8 DAY. (a) July 21 is First Lady Frances Cox Henderson Remembrance Day
9 in honor of the life and achievements of Frances Cox Henderson, who
10 was the first First Lady of the State of Texas in 1846.

11 (b) First Lady Frances Cox Henderson Remembrance Day shall
12 be regularly observed by appropriate programs and activities in the
13 public schools and other places to properly commemorate her life
14 and achievements and to inspire a greater appreciation of the
15 history of this state.

16 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
17 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
18 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
19 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
20 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.