By: Price, et al. H.B. No. 194

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
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- 2 relating to creating a recognition day in honor of Gold Star
- 3 Mothers.
- 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 662.061 to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 662.061. GOLD STAR MOTHER'S DAY. (a) The last Sunday
- 8 <u>in September of each year is Gold Star Mother's Day in recognition</u>
- 9 of mothers whose sons and daughters died while serving in the United
- 10 States armed forces.
- 11 (b) Gold Star Mother's Day shall be regularly observed by
- 12 appropriate ceremonies.
- SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 14 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 15 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 16 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 17 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.