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**Am. S. B. No. 17**

**Senators Reynolds, Craig**

**Cosponsors: Senators Patton, Schaffer, Weinstein, Antonio, Blackshear, Blessing, Brenner, Chavez, Cirino, DeMora, Gavarone, Hicks-Hudson, Ingram, Johnson, Koehler, Landis, Liston, O'Brien, Reineke, Roegner, Romanchuk, Smith, Timken, Wilkin, Wilson**

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**A BILL**

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| To enact section 5.212 of the Revised Code to | 1 |
| designate March 9th as "6888th Central Postal | 2 |
| Directory Battalion Day."                     | 3 |

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

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| <b>Section 1.</b> That section 5.212 of the Revised Code be | 4 |
| enacted to read as follows:                                 | 5 |

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| <u><b>Sec. 5.212.</b> The ninth day of March is designated as</u>     | 6  |
| <u>"6888th Central Postal Directory Battalion Day" to honor the</u>   | 7  |
| <u>bravery and courage of those who served in the 6888th central</u>  | 8  |
| <u>postal directory battalion, the only unit composed of women of</u> | 9  |
| <u>color to serve overseas during World War II.</u>                   | 10 |