

## Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10

### RESOLUTION CHAPTER 15

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10—Relative to Blue Ribbon Week.

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#### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 10, Aguiar. Blue Ribbon Week.

This measure would, on and after January 1, 1996, designate the week during which May 15 falls each year as Blue Ribbon Week, and would urge all citizens to annually observe these days of recognition and support for all peace officers and law enforcement agencies by wearing or displaying a blue ribbon.

WHEREAS, The brave and devoted peace officers who willingly dedicate their lives to securing a safe society for all are one of our most important resources; and

WHEREAS, Peace officers have long sustained a tradition of maintaining the highest quality possible in the performance of their duties so as to provide a better life environment for others; and

WHEREAS, Peace officers have recently been penalized for the highly publicized acts of a few who are alleged to have abused their authority; and

WHEREAS, The Support Our Law Enforcement Committee and the California Legislature designated the first week of May 1993 as Blue Ribbon Week in an effort to preserve and highlight the commitment of all peace officers and law enforcement agencies to maintaining the security of our communities; and

WHEREAS, Blue Ribbon Week is intended as a show of confidence and support by the general public for all peace officers and law enforcement agencies and as a tremendous morale boost for all the dedicated men and women who wear a badge for the protection of our communities; and

WHEREAS, Every citizen who wears or displays a blue ribbon during the week during which May 15 falls will demonstrate his or her support for every peace officer and law enforcement agency now serving the State of California; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring,* That, on and after January 1, 1996, the week during which May 15 falls each year shall be proclaimed as Blue Ribbon Week in recognition and support of all peace officers and law enforcement agencies, and that all citizens are urged to annually

observe these days by wearing or displaying a blue ribbon; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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