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2015 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 99

January 19, 2016 - Introduced by Representatives CZAJA, HEBL, SINICKI, THIESFELDT, MILROY, GOYKE, SHANKLAND, BALLWEG, BERCEAU, JORGENSEN, RIPP, KAHL, KOLSTE, KLEEFISCH, SPIROS, PETRYK, TITTL, C. TAYLOR, MURTHA, TRANEL, JOHNSON, DANOU, SUBECK, KERKMAN, BARNES, BILLINGS, E. BROOKS, DOYLE, EDMING, HINTZ, GENRICH, JAGLER, BERNIER, KESSLER, KNODL, KNUDSON, WACHS, BARCA, KUGLITSCH, SPREITZER, SKOWRONSKI, SCHRAA, SARGENT, MACCO, MASON, RODRIGUEZ, RIEMER, SWEARINGEN, VANDERMEER, KRUG, VOS, OHNSTAD, NOVAK, STEFFEN, MEYERS, LOUDENBECK, POPE, GANNON and KOOYENGA, cosponsored by Senators DARLING, SHILLING, GUDEx, L. TAYLOR, VINEHOUT, C. LARSON, OLSEN, COWLES, HARS DORF, HARRIS DODD, CARPENTER, PETROWSKI, BEWLEY, ERPENBACH, LASSA, MARKLEIN, RISSER, MILLER, WANGGAARD, WIRCH, TIFFANY, STROEBEL, HANSEN, RINGHAND and MOULTON. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** proclaiming Friday, February 5, 2016, to be National Wear Red Day in
2 recognition of heart disease awareness and prevention.

3 Whereas, heart disease is the number one killer of women, yet 80 percent of
4 cardiac events can be prevented; and

5 Whereas, cardiovascular diseases cause one in three women's deaths each year,
6 killing approximately one woman every minute; and

7 Whereas, an estimated 43 million women in the United States are affected by
8 cardiovascular diseases; and

9 Whereas, 90 percent of women have one or more risk factors for developing
10 heart disease, yet only one in five American women believe that heart disease is her
11 greatest health threat; and

12 Whereas, women comprise only 24 percent of participants in all heart-related
13 studies; and

14 Whereas, since 1984, more women than men have died each year from heart
15 disease; and

