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Bill 97

An Act to proclaim Memorial Day for Persons Killed or Injured on the Job

Introduction

**Introduced by
Mr. Sam Hamad
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bill proclaims 28 April as Memorial Day for Persons Killed or Injured on the Job.

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AS employment injuries are sustained by Québec workers every year;

AS it is important that Québec take action to ensure the health and safety of its workers;

AS a number of States and provinces have officially proclaimed 28 April as the day on which to commemorate persons killed or injured on the job;

AS the International Labour Organization has proclaimed 28 April as World Day for Health and Safety at Work;

AS the proclamation of Memorial Day for Persons Killed or Injured on the Job will help raise awareness about health and safety at work among Quebecers;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1.** The twenty-eighth day of April is proclaimed Memorial Day for Persons Killed or Injured on the Job.
- 2.** This Act comes into force on (*insert the date of assent to this Act*).

