



State of Wisconsin
1999 - 2000 LEGISLATURE

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1999 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 26

March 7, 2000 – Introduced by Representatives SCHNEIDER, BOYLE, WILLIAMS, BOCK, BLACK, SINICKI, LA FAVE, YOUNG, TURNER, BERCEAU, RICHARDS, MORRIS-TATUM, MEYER, TRAVIS, RILEY, RYBA, CULLEN and HASENOHRL. Referred to calendar.

1 **Relating to:** requesting that the state of South Carolina immediately stop flying the
2 confederate flag in an official capacity.

3 Whereas, many Wisconsinites died in Civil War battles fighting to stop slavery
4 and the secession of South Carolina and the other southern states; and

5 Whereas, 91,379 Wisconsin men and women served in the Civil War between
6 1861 and 1865; and

7 Whereas, 50% of the Wisconsin adult male population served in the Civil War;
8 and

9 Whereas, Wisconsin sent 71 regiments to the Civil War, including 52 infantry,
10 4 cavalry, 13 light artillery and 2 heavy artillery units; and

11 Whereas, more than 12,000 Wisconsin soldiers died in the Civil War, more than
12 those who died in World War I, World War II, Korea and Vietnam combined; and

13 Whereas, the confederate flag has flown over the South Carolina statehouse
14 since 1962; and

