



2009 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 3

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1 **Relating to:** Proclaiming Data Privacy Day.

2 Whereas, the right of privacy is recognized by the state of Wisconsin by Chapter
3 176, Laws of 1977; and

4 Whereas, the *Privacy Journal* has recognized Wisconsin as a first-tier state in
5 terms of privacy protection; and

6 Whereas, on January 28, 2009, the United States, Canada, and 27 European
7 countries will celebrate Data Privacy Day together for the second time; and

8 Whereas, the purpose of Data Privacy Day is to raise awareness and generate
9 discussion about data privacy practices and rights; and

10 Whereas, Data Privacy Day promotes privacy awareness and education among
11 teens, especially about online privacy; and

12 Whereas, Data Privacy promotes general awareness education among the
13 public and the business community on allied topics, such as identity theft, national
14 security, social networking, information security, data destruction, and data
15 transfers; and

