



## 1997 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 119

March 10, 1998 - Introduced by Representatives JOHNSRUD, PORTER, R. YOUNG, LADWIG, RYBA, DOBYNS, TURNER, GRONEMUS, WARD, OWENS, BOCK and WALKER, cosponsored by Senators CHVALA, RUDE, DRZEWIECKI, ZIEN, BURKE, MOEN, SCHULTZ and GROBSCHMIDT. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1     **Relating to:** proclaiming Cesky Den.

2           Whereas, among the ethnic groups that have helped to form this state are the  
3     Czechs; and

4           Whereas, the Czechs have remembered and preserved their rich cultural  
5     heritage while they assimilated themselves to life in Wisconsin; and

6           Whereas, among the centers of Czech culture in this state are Hillsboro and  
7     Yuba; and

8           Whereas, in 1983 the first Cesky Den (Czech Day) celebration was held to  
9     promote the Czech heritage; and

10          Whereas, Cesky Den has been celebrated each year since 1983; and

11          Whereas, among the features of that celebration are polka music; the  
12     enjoyment of such traditional Czech foods as roast pork, dumplings, sauerkraut,  
13     rohlike, jitemnice, suleke soup and kolaches; a polka mass; various contests; the  
14     wearing of authentic Czech costumes; and the creation of a special button; and

