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An act relating to the designation of the official state flagship; amending s. 15.0465, F.S.; redesignating the official state flagship as the S.S. American Victory; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Section 15.0465, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

15.0465 Official state flagship.—The S.S. American Victory, a 455-foot historic steamship, built in 1944  ~~schooner Western Union, a 130-foot historic sailing vessel of the tall ship class, built in Key West and first launched in 1939,~~ is designated the official state flagship.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.