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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to recognize Nelson Westerberg, Inc. 4 which will be celebrating its 100th Anniversary in September 5 2004; and

WHEREAS, Nelson Westerberg, Inc. is a relocation company 6 7 located in Elk Grove Village on Arthur Avenue; Fred Nelson and 8 Oscar Westerberg started a delivering service in 1904 9 delivering ice and coal to families and businesses in Chicago 10 using horses and wagons; soon the moving needs of families extended to moving their household goods; in 1960, Nelson 11 Westerberg signed on as Atlas Van Lines interstate Agency; and 12

13 WHEREAS, The Company was established in 1904 and is owned 14 and operated by the fourth generation of the Westerberg family; 15 John Westerberg the grandson of the company's founder is the 16 current CEO; and

17 WHEREAS, In 1962, the corporation began to establish 18 national account relationships; Nelson Westerberg opened 19 offices in New Jersey/New York in 1972 and in Dallas, Texas in 20 1984; they expanded to Atlanta, Georgia in 1987; and in 1995, 21 the corporation celebrated the national partners that have been 22 customers for 25 years, which established the Quarter Century 23 Partner Program; and

24 WHEREAS, Nelson Westerberg is one of the largest, more 25 experienced quality providers of relocation, transportation, 26 and logistics management in the United States; and

27 WHEREAS, Since its establishment in 1904, Nelson 28 Westerberg has expanded its scope to become a top professional 29 leader in the corporate and relocation business, numbering many 30 Fortune 500 Companies as clients; therefore, be it HR0831

1 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2 NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we 3 recognize and congratulate Nelson Westerberg, Inc. on 4 celebrating its 100th anniversary of service to the citizens of 5 Illinois and beyond; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 7 presented to the current CEO of Nelson Westerberg, Inc., John 8 Westerberg, as a token of our respect.