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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Caitlin Brecklin  
4 of Ambassador Girl Scout Troop 804 on the occasion of winning  
5 the Gold Award from the Girl Scouts organization; and

6           WHEREAS, The Gold Award is the highest recognition that a  
7 Girl Scout can obtain; the award is equivalent to the rank of  
8 Eagle awarded by the Boy Scouts; to earn a Gold Award, a girl  
9 must meet several requirements, including leadership projects,  
10 career exploration, meeting challenges to learn about herself  
11 and the world around her, earning four interest projects, and  
12 the completion of a community service project of over 60 hours;  
13 and

14           WHEREAS, For her Gold Award project, Caitlin Brecklin chose  
15 to form a "Space Club" where children in 5th to 8th grades  
16 could come every other week and do activities, as well as learn  
17 more about astronomy and space exploration; and

18           WHEREAS, Caitlin Brecklin is currently a senior at  
19 Northside College Prep in Chicago; she has chosen to pursue a  
20 career in astrophysics and has always been fascinated with  
21 outer space; she has been accepted to attend Michigan State  
22 University in September of 2008; and

1           WHEREAS, Caitlin Brecklin will be presented with her Gold  
2 Award at an official presentation at the First Congregational  
3 Church of Forest Glen in Chicago on May 4, 2008; and

4           WHEREAS, The dedication and effort put forward by Caitlin  
5 Brecklin on the behalf of her community serves as an  
6 inspiration to the people of the State of Illinois; therefore,  
7 be it

8           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
9 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
10 congratulate Caitlin Brecklin of Ambassador Girl Scout Troop  
11 804 on the occasion of winning the Gold Award and wish her  
12 continued success and happiness in the future; and be it  
13 further

14           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
15 presented to Caitlin Brecklin as a symbol of our esteem and  
16 respect.