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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 29

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Joint Resolution 29 by
3 replacing everything after the heading with the following:

4 "WHEREAS, The General Assembly recognizes the importance
5 of a healthy lifestyle for Illinois citizens; and

6 WHEREAS, The General Assembly is cognizant of the busy
7 lives Illinoisans live and the challenges of eating healthy
8 while traveling; and

9 WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Transportation
10 maintains a system of 30 rest areas and 11 welcome centers on
11 highways throughout the State; and

12 WHEREAS, These facilities serve more than 36 million
13 visitors annually and are meant to enhance traveler safety and
14 comfort; and

1 WHEREAS, Illinois citizens and travelers utilizing
2 Illinois rest areas and welcome centers would be better served
3 by having healthy snack options in vending machines; therefore,
4 be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
6 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE
7 SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we urge the Illinois Department
8 of Transportation to offer at least 2 healthy snacks containing
9 less than 220 calories for every 10 snacks in vending machines
10 that contain non-perishable pre-packaged food in State rest
11 stops and welcome centers, of which a minimum of one should be
12 made in Illinois if feasible; and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
14 delivered to the Illinois Department of Transportation and the
15 Illinois Department of Central Management Services."