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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives wish to recognize Caterpillar Inc. on the  
4 occasion of its 100th anniversary, marking a century of  
5 innovation, excellence, and dedication to quality; and

6           WHEREAS, Founded on April 15, 1925, Caterpillar has grown  
7 to become a prominent name in the construction industry; the  
8 company is renowned for its extensive range of services and  
9 products painted in its iconic yellow color, including  
10 construction and mining equipment, diesel and natural gas  
11 engines, industrial gas turbines, and diesel-electric  
12 locomotives, as well as products that support energy  
13 transition, including hybrid and electric power solutions; and

14           WHEREAS, Caterpillar employs over 100,000 people worldwide  
15 with significant employment in Illinois, where several major  
16 facilities are located, directly supporting over 19,000 jobs  
17 in the State; and

18           WHEREAS, Caterpillar's unwavering commitment to its core  
19 values of integrity, excellence, teamwork, commitment, and  
20 sustainability has driven the company's operations and  
21 established a strong corporate culture; and

1           WHEREAS, Caterpillar's code of conduct, titled "Values in  
2           Action", encompasses a range of initiatives designed to uphold  
3           ethical conduct, environmental stewardship, and community  
4           engagement, reflecting the company's dedication to making a  
5           positive impact on society; and

6           WHEREAS, Caterpillar has demonstrated a profound  
7           commitment to philanthropy, contributing millions of dollars  
8           annually through the Caterpillar Foundation to support various  
9           causes, including disaster relief, education, and economic  
10          development in communities around the world; therefore, be it

11          RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
12          HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
13          we recognize Caterpillar Inc. on achieving its 100th  
14          anniversary, and we commend the company for its remarkable  
15          achievements, enduring legacy, and continued contributions to  
16          the economy, society, and the global community; and be it  
17          further

18          RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
19          presented to Caterpillar as a symbol of our esteem and  
20          respect.