Clerk Hollman: "Introduction of Resolutions. House Resolution 631, offered by Representative Stuart. And House Joint Resolution 100, offered by Representative Harris. Referred to the Rules Committee. Introduction and First Reading in full of House Joint Constitutional Amendment #37 offered by Representative Yednock. be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend the Illinois Constitution in Article I by adding Section 25 as follows:

ARTICLE I
BILL OF RIGHTS

SECTION 25. COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FREEDOM

Collective bargaining is fundamentally necessary to protect the economic welfare and safety of all workers in the public and private sectors, and no law shall be passed that restricts or interferes with the ability of workers to join together and collectively bargain over wages, hours, and terms and conditions of employment, including any law that prohibits or restricts the right of private sector employers and employees, through a representative of their own choosing, to
enter into and administer union security agreements, should they choose.

SCHEDULE
This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act. This was First Reading in Full of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment #37."