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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives offer their warmest congratulations to United States Senator Tammy Duckworth and her husband, Bryan Bowlsbey, on the birth of their daughter, Maile Pearl Bowlsbey; and

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WHEREAS, Maile Pearl Bowlsbey was born on April 9, 2018 at 7:07 a.m. at the Virginia Hospital Center in Arlington, Virginia; and

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WHEREAS, Maile Pearl Bowlsbey takes the name of her late Great Aunt Pearl Bowlsbey Johnson, who served her country proudly as an Army nurse during World War II; and

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WHEREAS, Maile Pearl Bowlsbey joins her sister, Abigail, in the honor of having her name blessed by the late Senator Daniel Akaka of Hawaii; and

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WHEREAS, The birth of Maile Pearl Bowlsbey is also a major landmark for women in government, as Senator Duckworth is the first United States Senator to give birth to a child while serving in office; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we

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1 congratulate Senator Duckworth, her husband, Bryan, and her
2 daughter, Abigail, on the birth of Maile Pearl Bowsbey; and be
3 it further

4 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
5 presented to Senator Duckworth as a symbol of our respect and
6 esteem.