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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 43

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Joint Resolution 43 by
3 replacing everything after the heading with the following:

4 "WHEREAS, The human papillomavirus (HPV) is the most common
5 sexually transmitted virus in the United States; nearly 14
6 million people become infected each year; and

7 WHEREAS, HPV causes approximately 33,700 cases of
8 HPV-associated cancers each year, including cervical, anal,
9 and oropharyngeal cancers; and

10 WHEREAS, 9-valent HPV vaccine protects against nine types
11 of HPV infection; and

12 WHEREAS, The HPV vaccine was tested before being licensed
13 by the Food and Drug Administration and continues to be
14 monitored by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and

1 the Food and Drug Administration; and

2 WHEREAS, The most common side effects are mild and include
3 pain, redness, or swelling in the arm where the shot is given;
4 dizziness, fainting, nausea, and headaches can also occur; and

5 WHEREAS, The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and the
6 Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommend
7 two doses of HPV vaccine for males and females ages 11-12; the
8 vaccine is approved for men and women through age 45; and

9 WHEREAS, In Illinois, only 50 percent of males and females
10 ages 13-17 years were up to date on HPV vaccination in 2017;
11 therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
13 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
14 CONCURRING HEREIN, that we encourage adolescents in Illinois to
15 receive the HPV vaccine to protect themselves against HPV
16 infection and HPV-related cancers."