1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The general homestead exemption allowed to
- 3 homeowners in Cook County is \$4,500; the general homestead
- 4 exemption allowed to homeowners in all counties other than
- 5 Cook County is \$3,500; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The senior citizens homestead exemption allowed
- 7 to eligible homeowners in Cook County is \$2,500; the senior
- 8 citizens homestead exemption allowed to eligible homeowners
- 9 in all counties other than Cook County is \$2,000; therefore
- 10 be it
- 11 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-
- 12 THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge
- 13 the Department of Revenue to study the fiscal impact on units
- 14 of local government if the general homestead exemption and
- 15 the senior citizens homestead exemption were increased for
- 16 all counties, other than Cook County, to the level allowed in
- 17 Cook County; and be it further
- 18 RESOLVED, That the Department of Revenue shall report its
- 19 findings to the General Assembly upon completion of the
- 20 study; and be it further
- 21 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
- 22 presented to the Director of Revenue.