



1 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The Argonne National Laboratory is an economic  
3 engine for the State of Illinois, enthusiastically cooperating  
4 with existing and new Illinois companies, believing that  
5 strengthening Illinois' technological base will create new  
6 jobs here and improve every citizen's quality of life; and

7 WHEREAS, the Laboratory is today a world-recognized leader  
8 in scientific research and development; and

9 WHEREAS, The Laboratory has played and continues to play a  
10 significant role in the emergence of the State of Illinois as a  
11 national center for science and technology; and

12 WHEREAS, The Laboratory attracts researchers to Illinois  
13 from universities, industry, and government laboratories all  
14 over the nation and the world; the Laboratory also conducts  
15 joint research with and opens its facilities to researchers  
16 from Illinois' major universities; and

17 WHEREAS, The Laboratory provides significant educational  
18 opportunities to train the State of Illinois' next generation  
19 of researchers and high-technology employees; and

20 WHEREAS, Argonne National Laboratory marks the 60th  
21 anniversary of service to the State of Illinois and to the  
22 nation this year; therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
24 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE  
25 SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we recognize the 60 years of  
26 scientific contributions made by Argonne National Laboratory  
27 and support the continued growth, expansion, job creation, and  
28 scientific leadership of Argonne National Laboratory for the  
29 betterment of the citizens of Illinois; and be it further

1           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
2           presented to a representative of Argonne National Laboratory.