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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Illinois State

Police Inspector Kevin Eack on his retirement; and

- 5 WHEREAS, He graduated from the Southern Illinois 6 University School of Law in 1983 and was admitted to the Bar by 7 the Illinois Supreme Court; and
- 8 WHEREAS, He was sworn in as a Special Agent of the FBI in 9 September, 1983 and worked as a special agent along the El 10 Paso, Texas/Mexico border, handling interstate smuggling and 11 kidnapping cases from 1983 to 1985; during his time there, he 12 received a commendation from FBI Director William H. Webster 13 for the arrest of a corrupt Texas Sheriff and 2 deputies; and
- 14 WHEREAS, He later returned to Illinois, serving as a State 15 prosecutor for approximately 4 years; he served as an Illinois State Police officer and senior commander for 23 years serving 16 as Assistant Deputy Director of the Division of Internal 17 18 Investigations (LTC), Commander of the MSI Public Corruption 19 Task Force, and after September 11, 2001, serving as the Senior Terrorism Advisor to the Director overseeing State counter 20 21 terrorism efforts through 2009; and

WHEREAS, He was selected by the FBI to serve as a

- 2 Director's Fellow at the National Counter Terrorism Center in
- 3 2009, receiving awards and commendations from U.S. Attorney
- 4 General Janet Reno, FBI Director Louis Freeh, and from 3 State
- 5 Police Directors for distinguished leadership in law
- 6 enforcement; and

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- WHEREAS, He was selected to attend and later graduated from
- 8 the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School's Center for Homeland
- 9 Defense and Security in 2007, and was elected alumni president;
- 10 therefore, be it
- 11 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 12 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 13 we congratulate Illinois State Police Inspector Kevin Eack on
- 14 his retirement and wish him all the best in his future
- 15 endeavors; and be it further
- 16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 17 presented to Illinois State Police Inspector Kevin Eack as a
- 18 symbol of our respect and esteem.