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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to honor the Shen Yun Performing Arts
4 show; and

5 WHEREAS, Shen Yun Performing Arts is the world's premier
6 traditional Chinese dance and music company; and

7 WHEREAS, Shen Yun introduces audiences to a world of
8 heavenly realms, ancient heroes, and the themes of virtue,
9 compassion, and courage; and

10 WHEREAS, For 5,000 years of Chinese history, China's
11 divinely imparted culture, including Chinese dance, music, and
12 other art forms, was continuously refined as its elegance
13 developed; and

14 WHEREAS, The Shen Yun show aims to be a showcase of
15 traditional Chinese culture, a platform for cross-cultural
16 understanding between the East and West, and a unifying event
17 for all people interested in Chinese culture and performing
18 arts; and

19 WHEREAS, The State of Illinois prides itself on having a
20 thriving arts community, as well as audiences that truly

1 appreciate the beauty of our diversity; and

2 WHEREAS, Shen Yun shows will be held in at the Civic Opera
3 House in Chicago on April 2-5, 2014, the Sangamon Auditorium in
4 Springfield on April 8, 2014, and the Braden Auditorium in
5 Normal on April 13, 2014; the shows are sponsored by the
6 Mid-USA Falun Dafa Association, an organization dedicated to
7 the promotion and practice of the principles of "Truthfulness,
8 Compassion, and Tolerance" and endeavors to extend far and wide
9 these most precious and noble human ideals, and by Sound of
10 Hope Radio, an independent Chinese-language media company and a
11 not-for-profit organization dedicated to facilitating
12 cross-cultural communications between the East and West and
13 assisting the public in their search for valuable cultural
14 knowledge; therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
16 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
17 we honor the Shen Yun Performing Arts troupe, thank them for
18 their visits to the State of Illinois, and wish them continued
19 success in all their endeavors; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
21 presented to the Shen Yun Performing Arts troupe as a symbol of
22 our respect and esteem.