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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, It has long been a universal goal to eliminate 3 traffic accidents and traffic fatalities; and

WHEREAS, Data has indicated that many traffic accidents are a direct result of poor peripheral binocular vision and glare from road and car reflections; and

7 WHEREAS, Correcting vision problems of drivers is an8 attainable goal; and

9 WHEREAS, The minimum requirement for visual acuity is 20/40 10 acuity, with or without corrective lenses; drivers with acuity 11 between 20/41 and 20/70 are limited to daylight driving only; 12 drivers must also have at least 140 degree peripheral vision 13 (the ability to see to the side) to have a license without 14 restrictions; this requirement is with or without corrective 15 lenses; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 17 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we 18 encourage all drivers in the State of Illinois to get annual 19 eye exams to insure that they are able to drive safely; and be 20 it further HR0385 -2- LRB099 11937 GRL 34216 r
1 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
2 delivered to the Secretary of State, the Illinois State Police,
3 and the Illinois Department of Transportation.