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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to recognize John Moore for his service in
4 the United States Air Force and congratulate him on
5 participating in an Honor Flight; and

6 WHEREAS, The Honor Flight Network is a nonprofit network of
7 organizations created to honor American veterans with a
8 one-of-a-kind journey to Washington, D.C. to visit war
9 memorials; and

10 WHEREAS, John Moore was born in Raymond, Mississippi on
11 October 25, 1925; he was drafted into the United States Air
12 Force in March of 1944; after passing the necessary
13 examinations, he reported to a base in Georgia and then
14 received his basic training in Biloxi, Mississippi; he later
15 reported to Nebraska, and his final assignment was in Colorado,
16 where he spent most of his time until the war ended; he was
17 discharged in 1946; and

18 WHEREAS, John Moore then moved north to provide his family
19 with more opportunities; upon arriving in Chicago, he settled
20 in the North Lawndale area with his wife and daughter; in 1955,
21 he was hired by Joslyn Manufacturing Company, where he worked
22 for 30 years and retired as a Foreman; and

1 WHEREAS, John Moore was married for 39 years before his
2 wife's untimely death; he and his wife raised five children; he
3 has been a member of Carey Tercentenary AME Church in North
4 Lawndale for over 50 years; and

5 WHEREAS, John Moore enjoys spending time with his family
6 and traveling the country; he recently visited the Air Force
7 base in Biloxi to commemorate the time he spent there in 1944;
8 therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
10 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
11 recognize the bravery, determination, and patriotism of John
12 Moore, and we congratulate him on his Honor Flight
13 participation; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to John Moore as an expression of our esteem and
16 respect.