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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Olga Nuñez-Johnson from  
4 Thomas J. Waters Elementary School in Chicago on being awarded  
5 the prestigious Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching  
6 from The Golden Apple Foundation on April 30, 2024; and

7           WHEREAS, The Golden Apple Foundation is the leading  
8 Illinois-based nonprofit committed to preparing, mentoring,  
9 and honoring great educators who advance educational  
10 opportunities for students, and its mission is to inspire,  
11 develop, and support teacher and school leader excellence; and

12           WHEREAS, The Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching  
13 honors outstanding teachers who have made lasting, positive  
14 effects on students' lives and school communities; and

15           WHEREAS, After a highly competitive process, Olga  
16 Nuñez-Johnson was selected as one of 10 teacher award  
17 recipients in Illinois; and

18           WHEREAS, Olga Nuñez-Johnson prioritizes her students'  
19 needs, fostering a supportive and purposeful student-centered  
20 environment as she embodies the principles of love, care, and  
21 hope in teaching, and she has left a lasting impression on

1 generations of students who fondly recall her influence on  
2 their educational journeys; therefore, be it

3       RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
4 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
5 we congratulate Olga Nuñez-Johnson on being awarded the  
6 prestigious Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching from  
7 The Golden Apple Foundation; and be it further

8       RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be  
9 presented to Olga Nuñez-Johnson and Thomas J. Waters  
10 Elementary School.