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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to recognize the outstanding life  
4 accomplishments of Centralia native and Ladies Professional  
5 Golf Association (LPGA) player Nancy Scranton; and

6           WHEREAS, Nancy Scranton graduated from Centralia High  
7 School in 1979 where she was a member of the Orphan Annie's golf  
8 team; she collected most of her amateur victories in Illinois  
9 where she won the 1983 Illinois Women's State Championship, the  
10 1979, 1982, and 1983 Southern Illinois Championship and the  
11 1981 and 1982 St. Louis Metro Championship; and

12           WHEREAS, Splitting her collegiate career between Florida  
13 State and the University of Kentucky, she registered three  
14 top-five finishes, including victories at the 1984 Western  
15 Kentucky Invitational and the 1984 Southern Illinois  
16 University Invitational; she was also named All-Southeastern  
17 Conference in 1983; and

18           WHEREAS, In 1991, she became a Rolex First-Time Winner at  
19 the du Maurier Ltd. Classic, where she barely made the cut  
20 before tying her career-low score of 64 in the third round to  
21 move into contention; she also captured the Los Coyotes LPGA  
22 Classic in 1992 when she shot 65 in the final round to make up a  
23 seven-shot deficit; and

24           WHEREAS, Her golf career highlights include winning the  
25 Subaru Memorial of Naples title in 2000 after a two-hole,  
26 sudden death playoff with Maria Hjorth; and for the second year  
27 in a row, she tied for third at the McDonald's LPGA; and

28           WHEREAS, She recorded the second hole-in-one of her career  
29 during the first round of the Asahi Ryokuken International  
30 Championship at Mount in 2003; also in 2003, she was co-winner

1 with Tracy Hanson of the 2003 Daytona Beach Florida Kiwanis  
2 Foundation Humanitarian of the Year Award; and

3 WHEREAS, The Kaskaskia College Sports Association will be  
4 hosting a dinner and silent auction honoring Nancy Scranton on  
5 August 13, 2004, at the Centralia Elks; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
7 NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
8 recognize and honor the many accomplishments of Nancy Scranton  
9 and wish her well in all her future endeavors; and be it  
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
12 presented to Nancy Scranton as a token of our admiration and  
13 respect.