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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 3 State of Illinois are pleased to congratulate Mustapha 4 Farrakhan of Harvey for his achievements in the game of 5 basketball; and

WHEREAS, Mustapha Farrakhan led the Thornton Township High School Boys Basketball Team to the Elite Eight in the State basketball playoffs; he also led the team in scoring with an average of 20.3 points per game, with season highs of 30, 29, and 45 points; his 45 points per game was an Illinois season high; he also was a member of the 2006 Chicago Fire AAU Basketball Team, where he averaged 25 points per game; and

WHEREAS, Mustapha Farrakhan was invited to and attended the NBA Top 100 High School Basketball Camp and the 2006 Nike All-American Camp; he was also invited to and attended Michael Jordan's 2006 Basketball Camp, where he was one of only four high schools players to be invited; and

WHEREAS, Mustapha Farrakhan has been named to the 2007 Illinois Basketball Coaches Association All-State Team, the 2007 Chicago Sun-Times All-State Basketball Team, the 2007 Chicago Sun-Times All-Area Basketball Team, the 2007 Daily Southtown All-Area Basketball Team, and the 2007 Illinois Times

1 All-Area Basketball Team and was named the Daily Southtown

- 2 Basketball Player of the Year; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Mustapha Farrakhan signed on with the University
- 4 of Virginia on a basketball scholarship; therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 6 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 7 congratulate Mustapha Farrakhan on his many achievements in the
- 8 game of basketball, and extend our best wishes for his
- 9 continued success and happiness; and be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to Mustapha Farrakhan as a symbol of our esteem.