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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Principal  
4 Stephanie Di Prima and Father Wayne Prist of Queen of All  
5 Saints School in Chicago on the school being named as a "No  
6 Child Left Behind-Blue Ribbon School" by the United States  
7 Department of Education; and

8           WHEREAS, Six Archdiocese of Chicago Catholic Schools were  
9 named by Secretary Margaret Spellings of the U.S. Department of  
10 Education as No Child Left Behind-Blue Ribbon Schools,  
11 representing the most from any school system in the nation this  
12 year; and

13           WHEREAS, 2008 makes the second consecutive year  
14 Archdiocesan Catholic schools have earned the distinction of  
15 being the school system with the largest number of No Child  
16 Left Behind-Blue Ribbon Schools; and

17           WHEREAS, Since 2003, a total of 21 Archdiocesan Catholic  
18 schools have been designated as No Child Left Behind-Blue  
19 Ribbon Schools; since 1983, Archdiocese of Chicago Catholic  
20 Schools have received this distinction on 51 occasions; and

21           WHEREAS, The principal and a teacher from each school will

1 receive a plaque and a flag signifying their No Child Left  
2 Behind-Blue Ribbon School status at a U.S. Department of  
3 Education ceremony on October 20-21, 2008 in Washington, D.C.;  
4 once they have returned to their schools, Masses, ceremonies,  
5 and school pep rallies will be scheduled in celebration of  
6 achieving No Child Left Behind-Blue Ribbon School status; and

7 WHEREAS, Principal Di Prima and Father Prist can both be  
8 proud of their school earning this distinction; therefore, be  
9 it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
11 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
12 congratulate the staff, faculty, and students of Queen of All  
13 Saints School on this award; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be  
15 presented to Principal Stephanie Di Prima and Father Wayne  
16 Prist as symbols of our respect and esteem.