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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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Illinois 2 WHEREAS, The members of the House of 3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Officer 4 Alejandro Valadez, who passed away June 1, 2009; and 5 WHEREAS, Officer Alejandro Valadez was born on February 1, 6 1982; he attended Brother Rice High School and graduated from 7 Western Illinois University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 8 Criminal Justice; and 9 WHEREAS, Officer Alejandro Valadez was appointed to the 10 Chicago Police Department on December 5, 2005 and worked in the 022nd and 007th Districts; and 11 12 WHEREAS, Officer Alejandro Valadez served the Chicago 13 Police Department with honor and distinction, earning a Department of Commendation Award and 22 Honorable Mentions 14 15 awards during his three year career; and 16 WHEREAS, Officer Valadez was a proud member of the Chicago 17 Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #7; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Police Department has retired Officer

Valadez's star, which is numbered 9534; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Officer Valadez leaves behind a fiance, a brother
- 2 and sister, all of whom are current members of the Chicago
- 3 Police Department, as well as a newborn son whom he was not
- 4 able to meet; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Officer Alejandro Valadez dedicated and gave his
- 6 life to protecting and serving the people of Illinois;
- 7 therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 9 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 10 mourn, along with his family, friends, and brothers and sisters
- of the Fraternal Order of Police, the passing of Officer
- 12 Alejandro Valadez; and be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 14 presented to the family of Officer Alejandro Valadez as an
- expression of our sympathy.