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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate Garvin G. Ambrose on the occasion of his appointment by Connecticut Governor Dannel P. Malloy to the position of State Victim Advocate; and

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WHEREAS, Garvin Ambrose was unanimously selected by the Victim Advocate Advisory Committee and recommended to the Governor of Connecticut to serve as the state's Victim Advocate, charged with the responsibility of advising the Connecticut General Assembly on system-wide improvements to state services for victims of crime; Mr. Ambrose will continue to advocate for victims in court and work with private and public agencies to enforce the constitutional rights of victims; and

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WHEREAS, Garvin Ambrose has recently served as the Executive Assistant State's Attorney and Legislative Liaison for the Cook County State's Attorney's Office; he has assisted in the development of state-wide legislative and policy initiatives that encompassed issues on civil, criminal, and family law; and

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WHEREAS, Garvin Ambrose began his post-doctoral career as an Assistant State's Attorney in Cook County in the Public

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1 Interest Bureau, Child Support Enforcement Division, where he
2 advocated on behalf of the Department of Healthcare and Family
3 Services by establishing and enforcing paternity; he was later
4 promoted into the Juvenile Justice Bureau, where he served in
5 the Child Protection Division and the Juvenile Delinquency
6 Division; and

7 WHEREAS, Garvin Ambrose's passion for helping and
8 influencing the lives of others extends into his work as an
9 assistant track and field coach at the University of Illinois
10 at Chicago; as a USATF Level 1 Certified Coach, he has led his
11 high jump athletes to many victories in state and national
12 competitions; he also mentors his athletes of the track, taking
13 them to cultural events, conversing with their professors about
14 grades, and helping them to steer through administrative
15 difficulties on campus; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
17 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
18 we honor Garvin G. Ambrose's years of advocacy and service to
19 the citizens of Cook County and wish him well in his future
20 endeavors; and be it further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
22 presented to Garvin Ambrose as an expression of our esteem and
23 respect.