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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, There is a critical need in the United States to  
3 instill in the minds of students the possibilities unleashed by  
4 education and innovation in the fields of Science, Technology,  
5 Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) by providing students,  
6 their teachers, and their parents with deep exposure to and a  
7 sustainable experience with companies and organizations that  
8 provide career paths in these specialized fields; and

9           WHEREAS, PepsiCo is partnering with STEMconnector and  
10 other companies and organizations across the United States,  
11 including NASA and Teach for America, to address the need for  
12 encouraging youth to pursue STEM degrees and careers; and

13           WHEREAS, As a strong supporter of STEM education, PepsiCo  
14 will host students, teachers, and parents in March of 2014 at  
15 its Barrington research facility to provide career visibility,  
16 honor teachers, share insights into a real business  
17 environment, provide learning about innovation science, and  
18 engage parents; therefore, be it

19           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
20 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
21 we recognize the date of March 18, 2014 as STEM Career  
22 Accelerator Day and commend the students who will participate

1 in the program at PepsiCo's Barrington research facility.