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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Percy Edmonds, Sr. of  
4 Chicago, on the occasion of his 70th birthday; and

5 WHEREAS, Percy Edmonds, Sr. was born in Helena, Arkansas on  
6 May 18, 1944 to Nellie Jackson and Sprigg Edmonds; he moved to  
7 the Chicagoland area in 1960 where he met the love of his life  
8 and wife of 51 years, Joyce Ellebb; he was a resident of  
9 Broadview from 1969 to 1989 and then settled in Chicago; and

10 WHEREAS, Percy Edmonds, Sr. is the father of 6, grandfather  
11 of 15, and great-grandfather of 4; and

12 WHEREAS, Percy Edmonds, Sr. worked for General Motors for  
13 26 years from 1969 to 1995, retiring as an Arc Welder; and

14 WHEREAS, Percy Edmonds, Sr. is a 33 1/3 degree Mason; he  
15 taught all of his children baseball and softball; and

16 WHEREAS, Percy Edmonds, Sr. has always valued hard work,  
17 family, and loyalty; he has always kept his word and has  
18 imported his wisdom to his kids and grandkids; therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE

1 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
2 we congratulate Percy Edmonds, Sr. on his 70th birthday, and  
3 wish him many more wonderful years; and be it further

4       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
5 presented to Percy Edmonds, Sr. as an expression of our esteem  
6 and respect.