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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate Tom Moehn on the occasion 4 of his retirement after 46 years of service with Challenge 5 Unlimited, Inc.; and

6 WHEREAS, Tom Moehn, Chief Executive Officer of Challenge 7 Unlimited, Inc. and Residential Options, Inc., began working in 8 July of 1969 with what was then known as Specialized Services, 9 Inc.; and

10 WHEREAS, During Tom Moehn's time with Challenge Unlimited, 11 he has been dedicated to the company's mission, providing 12 opportunities for individuals with disabilities, assisting 13 them to live, work, and participate in the community; he has 14 made a difference for thousands of people over the years and he 15 has been committed to offering people opportunities to become 16 independent and successful; and

17 WHEREAS, Tom Moehn has been a visionary leader in the area 18 of the social entrepreneurial business model, which stresses 19 the importance of people with disabilities being integrated 20 into the community and understanding that work which pays a 21 living wage is an important facet of life; he led the effort in 22 Madison County to provide safe and integrated residential HR1095 -2- LRB099 20946 MST 45853 r housing for people with disabilities; and

2 WHEREAS, Tom Moehn is recognized as an industry leader 3 throughout the country and his company has been recognized for 4 its innovative and award-winning services for people with 5 disabilities; and

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6 WHEREAS, Tom Moehn's retirement became official on 7 February 29, 2016; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, ΒY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 9 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate Tom Moehn on his retirement after 46 years of 10 service with Challenge Unlimited, Inc. and we wish him the best 11 in all his future endeavors; and be it further 12

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 14 presented to Tom Moehn as an expression of our esteem and 15 respect.