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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Mary 4 Peery of Chicago, who passed away on November 10, 2017; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mary Peery was born on December 16, 1925; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Mary Peery started working at a west side 7 electrical plant as a core-cleaner on industrial equipment; she 8 became the plant's first female core-maker, eventually 9 supervising the other core-makers; she retired at the age of 73 10 after nearly 40 years of service; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Mary Peery was preceded in death by her brother, 12 Charles Anderson, and her sister, Leola Spann; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mary Peery is survived by her daughters, Geraldine 14 Green (James) and Neva Hardaway (Ronnie); Mildred Webster, Katie Pettis, Betty Taylor, Shirley Chambers, John Dorsey, and 15 16 Levy Anderson Jr.; her grandchildren, Anita Dilce, Harvey 17 Fields (Lawanda), James Green (Tracy), Clarence Jackson III 18 (Bernadette), Clifton Jackson, Joseph Jackson, and Richard 19 Jackson (Valerie); her great-grandchildren, Terry Eagle, Amber 20 Fields, Simone Fields, Bianca Green, Clarence Jackson IV, 21 Joseph Jackson Jr., Nayati Jackson, Selena Jackson, and Lauren

- 1 Williams; 14 great-great-grandchildren; and numerous friends
- 2 and relatives; therefore, be it
- 3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 4 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 5 mourn the passing of Mary Peery, and extend our sincere
- 6 condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved
- 7 her; and be it further
- 8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 9 presented to the family of Mary Peery as an expression of our
- 10 deepest sympathy.