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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate the St. Francis High 4 School girls volleyball team, the Spartans, on winning its 5 fourth straight championship; and
- WHEREAS, The Spartans became the first team to capture four straight State titles by defeating Glenbard West High School 25-15 and 25-23 for the Class 4A championship on November 14, 2015 at Redbird Arena in Normal; and
- 10 WHEREAS, This was the first State title for the Spartans 11 (39-3) in Class 4A after winning the previous 3 Class 3A 12 titles; and
- 13 WHEREAS, The Spartans are helmed by long-time coach, Peg
 14 Kopec, who will be retiring after 12 State championships and 40
 15 seasons that began in 1974; she compiled a career record of
 16 1,238-229-2 that includes all 19 of the Spartans' top-4 trophy
 17 finishers; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
 congratulate the St. Francis High School girls volleyball team,
 the Spartans, on winning its fourth straight championship; and

- 1 be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 3 presented to the Spartans as an expression of our esteem and
- 4 respect.