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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
3 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
4 the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 102nd General
5 Assembly are amended by adding Rule 18.5 as follows:

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(House Rule 18.5 new)

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18.5. Bipartisan Bills. Notwithstanding any other
8 provision of these Rules, any bill pending before the Rules
9 Committee shall be immediately discharged and referred to a
10 standing committee or special committee, as provided in Rule
11 18, if the Principal Sponsor of the bill notifies the Clerk in
12 writing that the bill has, in addition to the Principal
13 Sponsor, 5 or more chief co-sponsors or co-sponsors from the
14 majority caucus and 5 or more chief co-sponsors or co-sponsors
15 from the minority caucus. The written notice shall specify the
16 standing committee or special committee to which the bill
17 shall be referred. Such a bill must be heard before the
18 standing committee or special committee to which it is
19 referred under this Rule and must be called for a vote in that
20 standing committee or special committee.