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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate the Springfield
4 College in Illinois Bulldogs (SCI) men's baseball team on their
5 excellent season; and

6 WHEREAS, After a hard-fought battle with Longview
7 Community College of Lee's Summit, Missouri, the SCI Bulldogs
8 narrowly lost against the Longview Lakers 4-3 in the title game
9 of the National Junior College Athletic Association Division II
10 Central District baseball tournament; and

11 WHEREAS, The SCI Bulldogs played a great season, winning
12 the (Mid-West Athletic) conference and the Region 24 regional
13 conference; in total, the team had seven All-Conference
14 players, four All-Region players, and five academic
15 All-Americans; in addition, SCI head coach Steve Torricelli was
16 named the Mid-West Athletic Conference and Region 24 Coach of
17 the Year; the team finished their season with an outstanding
18 39-11 record; and

19 WHEREAS, The players of the Springfield College in Illinois
20 Bulldogs men's baseball team are Michael Reese, David Miller,
21 Jared Zueck, Evan Davidsmeier, Clark Schoonover, Kurt Dudley,
22 Randy Piper, Mike Hurt, Patrick Sheehan, Greg Van Leer, Nick

1 Oehmke, Justin Mason, Lucas Snow, Austin Alaria, Jared
2 Canterbury, Lucas Kesterson, David Marburger, James Long, Matt
3 Miller, Jordan Law, Josh Baker, Clinton Jeffers, Bradley
4 Bauman, Randy Hoelscher, Alex Urbas, and Joel Washko; the
5 team's head coach is Steve Torricelli and the assistant coaches
6 are Jim Torricelli and Mike Fitzgerald; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
8 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
9 congratulate the Springfield College in Illinois Bulldogs
10 men's baseball team on an excellent season and wish the team
11 success in future seasons; and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
13 presented to SCI head coach Steve Torricelli as a symbol of our
14 esteem and respect.