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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The Capitol of the State of Illinois is located in
3 Springfield and the vast majority of policymaking decisions
4 concerning the State are conducted in Springfield during
5 legislative session; and

6 WHEREAS, The Executive Mansion is located a few blocks from
7 the Capitol building at 410 E. Jackson St. in Springfield; the
8 mansion is available for the Governor and his family to use as
9 a home while conducting the business of the State of Illinois;
10 and

11 WHEREAS, The State of Illinois is facing several ongoing
12 problems, including a pension crisis and credit downgrades; a
13 lack of consensus and cooperation among key leadership only
14 exacerbates these serious issues; and

15 WHEREAS, The legislative and executive branches of the
16 State of Illinois should be working in tandem to solve the
17 seemingly continual crises afflicting the State; and

18 WHEREAS, Solutions to the mounting issues affecting the
19 State will be established with leadership shown by the Governor
20 and the leaders of the General Assembly, driven by their
21 commitment to work tirelessly for the citizens of Illinois; and

1 WHEREAS, In order for the Governor to commit the time
2 needed to address these problems head on and work with all of
3 the leaders of the General Assembly to find solutions, it is
4 imperative that the Governor be present in Springfield;
5 therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
7 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
8 we urge the Governor to maintain residence at the Executive
9 Mansion in Springfield during the entirety of the legislative
10 session so that he may be available to work alongside leaders
11 of the General Assembly in finding solutions to the State's
12 problems; and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be sent
14 to Governor Pat Quinn.