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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Adria East Mossing
4 on the occasion of her installation as the 100th President of
5 the Women's Bar Association of Illinois (WBAI); and

6 WHEREAS, Adria Mossing is a graduate of Northwestern
7 University, where she earned her Bachelor of Arts in English in
8 1983; she subsequently earned her Juris Doctor in 1988 from the
9 DePaul University College of Law, where she served as a
10 Managing Editor for the DePaul Law Review; and

11 WHEREAS, Adria Mossing began her career at Hinshaw &
12 Culbertson, quickly becoming one of only seven women equity
13 partners in a national firm of over 400 lawyers; due to her
14 great trial skills, she was recruited to join a plaintiff
15 personal injury law firm, where she practiced for 5 years; and

16 WHEREAS, Adria Mossing opened her own law firm in 2009; Jim
17 Navarre joined the firm as a partner in 2011 and the law firm
18 of Mossing & Navarre, LLC was formed; she represents the rights
19 of injured parties in cases involving medical malpractice,
20 birth injuries, construction accidents, motor vehicle and
21 trucking accidents, and other catastrophic personal injuries;
22 and

1 WHEREAS, Adria Mossing is a member of the Federal Trial Bar
2 and has been selected as a member of the American Board of
3 Trial Advocates; she is AV rated by Martindale-Hubbell; she has
4 been named a Leading Lawyer in Illinois in the areas of
5 plaintiff personal injury and medical malpractice; she has also
6 been named as one of the Top Fifty Women Lawyers in Illinois
7 and one of the Top 100 Lawyers in Illinois by Super Lawyers;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, Adria Mossing lives in the western suburbs with
10 her husband, Matt, and their three children, Michael, Jack, and
11 Catherine; and

12 WHEREAS, Adria Mossing will be sworn in as the Women's Bar
13 Association of Illinois President at its Annual Installation
14 Dinner on June 8, 2016; her theme for the year is "We are the
15 WBAI" and her presidency will center on career development for
16 women attorneys, featuring a series of seminars focusing on
17 business development, negotiation skills, and building a law
18 firm; therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
20 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
21 congratulate Adria East Mossing on the occasion of her
22 installation as President of the Women's Bar Association of

1 Illinois and wish her continued success and happiness in the
2 future; and be it further

3 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
4 presented to Adria Mossing as an expression of our esteem and
5 respect.