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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, In the interest of transparency and
3 accountability, it is not desirable that any income tax
4 increase be enacted by the State of Illinois in a post-election
5 "lame duck" special session of the General Assembly; and

6 WHEREAS, Any increase in the State's income tax rates would
7 be harmful to families and job creators; and

8 WHEREAS, Significant State policies, especially tax
9 policies, should be set by those with the most recent ties to
10 the votes of the people; the persons who set the policy should
11 be persons who have passed the test of accountability to the
12 voters; and

13 WHEREAS, The 99th General Assembly will soon enter a "lame
14 duck" period of time; the period will start on January 1, 2017,
15 and will end at midday on January 11, 2017, which is when the
16 100th General Assembly will be sworn into office; therefore, be
17 it

18 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
19 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
20 oppose the consideration or passage of any income tax increase
21 on the people of Illinois during any "lame duck" special

1 session that may be called to meet on or after January 1, 2017
2 at any time prior to January 11, 2017; and be it further

3 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution should be
4 delivered to the Governor of Illinois, the Speaker of the
5 Illinois House of Representatives, and the President of the
6 Illinois Senate.