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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

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2 Environmental Management to develop guidance for chemical facilities
3 that are verified as participants in the National Association of Chemical
4 Distributors' Responsible Distribution program on how they will be
5 given credit for satisfying requirements under the Environmental
6 Stewardship Program.

7 *Whereas, The Indiana Department of Environmental*
8 *Management implements Environmental Performance Based*
9 *Programs, including the Environmental Stewardship*
10 *Program, under Public Law 100-2006;*

11 *Whereas, The goals of these programs are pollution*
12 *prevention, waste minimization, environmental management,*
13 *and advanced environmental compliance;*

14 *Whereas, The Environmental Stewardship Program*
15 *ensures environmental compliance, environmental*
16 *management systems, and environmental improvement*
17 *initiatives;*

18 *Whereas, The National Association of Chemical*
19 *Distributors' (NACD) Responsible Distribution Program*
20 *requires third party verification of environmental compliance*
21 *processes, environmental management and conservation, a*
22 *company's senior management's commitment to continuous*
23 *environmental improvement; and*

24 *Whereas, It is the goal of Indiana and the Indiana*



1 *Department of Environmental Management to encourage,*
2 *increase, and broaden participation in the Environmental*
3 *Stewardship Program: Therefore,*

4 *Be it resolved by the Senate*
5 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

6 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate requests that the Indiana
7 Department of Environmental Management provide guidance, within
8 the resources of the program, as to how current NACD Responsible
9 Distribution practices and verified participants already satisfy
10 requirements under the Environmental Stewardship Program.

11 SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution be transmitted by the
12 Secretary of the Senate to the Commissioner of the Indiana Department
13 of Environmental Management.

