BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12

(First Reading Joint Resolution)

On page 1, in lines 2 and 3, in each instance, after "Workplace" insert "Health and"; and after line 7, insert:

"WHEREAS, Both scientific and subjective evidence indicate a positive correlation between regular exercise and good nutrition and individual health status; and

WHEREAS, The Office of the U.S. Surgeon General has reported that regular exercise has a favorable effect on weight loss, mood, incidence of heart disease, progression of diabetes, and certain cancers; and

WHEREAS, The American Heart Association has recently identified physical inactivity as a major controllable risk factor for heart disease; and

WHEREAS, Premature employee death costs the American industry \$20 billion dollars a year; and".

On page 2, in line 2, after "Workplace" insert "Health and".