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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Chester B. "Chet" Zyskowski of Woodstock, who passed away on July 15, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Chester Zyskowski was born in Chicago to Nikodem and Cecilia (Grabowski) Zyskowski on May 14, 1928; he attended St. Bruno School in Chicago and then St. Rita High School; he served as a staff sergeant in the United States Army during the Korean War; he graduated from Ferris College, where he earned his Bachelor of Science and registered pharmacist certification; he married Jean Sochacki on October 8, 1955; and

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WHEREAS, Chester Zyskowski managed the pharmacy in the K-Mart store in Woodstock for many years; and

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WHEREAS, Before moving to the Woodstock area, Chester Zyskowski served as president of the home owners association at Foster Harlem in Chicago; he was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Woodstock, the P.A.P.A., the Woodstock VFW, and the Woodstock Moose, where he called bingo games for many years; he volunteered at Meals on Wheels and worked to bring the Dick Tracy Days Celebration back to Woodstock; he was a contestant on Wheel of Fortune and an avid fan of the Chicago Cubs; and

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1 WHEREAS, Chester Zyskowski was preceded in death by his
2 parents; his daughter, Diane; his brothers, Cornelius (Joe) and
3 Stanley (Edmund); and his sisters, Mary, Gertrude, and Cecilia;
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5 WHEREAS, Chester Zyskowski is survived by his wife of 61
6 years, Jean; his sons, Cliff (Becky) and Phillip (Jean)
7 Zyskowski; his daughter, Judith Marie Zyskowski; his
8 grandchildren, Jared (Lisa) Zystro, Mindy, Joseph, Nicholas,
9 Sam, and Jackson; and his great-grandchild, Toby Zystro;
10 therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
13 Chester B. "Chet" Zyskowski, and extend our sincere condolences
14 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be
15 it further

16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
17 presented to the family of Chester Zyskowski as an expression
18 of our deepest sympathy.