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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Richard Mikyska of Marengo, formerly of 4 Naperville, who passed away on May 19, 2018; and

5 WHEREAS, Richard Mikyska was a veteran of the United States
6 Army; he graduated from the University of Illinois College of
7 Pharmacy, where he was a member of the Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical
8 Fraternity; and

9 WHEREAS, Richard Mikyska was a retired pharmacist and owner 10 of Brandt Pharmacy in Marengo; and

WHEREAS, Richard Mikyska was a member of the Riverside Masonic Lodge, Medinah Shriners and the Scottish Rite, Valley of Chicago for 51 years; he was the past president of the Marengo Chamber of Commerce and the co-founder of the Marengo Settlers Days; he was a member of the Marengo Lions Club; he enjoyed outdoor activities, fishing, reading, and painting; and

WHEREAS, Richard Mikyska was preceded in death by his brother, Glen; and

20 WHEREAS, Richard Mikyska is survived by his wife, Maureen;

- 1 his children, Robert (Sarah) Mikyska and Brenda (Jay) Courtney;
- and his grandchildren, Jonathan and Jack Courtney; therefore,
- 3 be it
- 4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 6 Richard Mikyska and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 8 further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 10 presented to the family of Richard Mikyska as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.