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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 Antoinette "Toni" Virginia Frederick Fox, who passed away on May 26, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Antoinette Fox was born in Paris, Wisconsin to Catherine (Terry) and Michael Frederick on September 23, 1918; she attended local grade and high schools; she attended Whitewater State Teacher's College and graduated from Racine-Kenosha Rural Normal School; she married William F. "Bill" Fox at Saint John's Catholic Church in Paris, Wisconsin on October 9, 1943; and

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WHEREAS, Antoinette Fox began her career teaching all eight grades in a one-room school in Kenosha County, Wisconsin; she later taught at Holy Angels School in Aurora; after retiring from teaching, she was employed at Mercy Center and later at McAuley Manor; she volunteered at both Rosary High School and Provena Mercy Center; and

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WHEREAS, Antoinette Fox was a life member of Saint Catherine's Hospital Auxiliary in Kenosha, Wisconsin, the Mercy Center Auxiliary, and the Abbot Marmion Society of Marmion Abbey in Aurora; she was also a member of the Basilica of Saint Stanislaus Kostka in Winona, Wisconsin and

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1 Annunciation BVM Parish in Aurora; and

2 WHEREAS, Antoinette Fox was preceded in death by her
3 husband, Bill; her daughter-in-law, Elizabeth Madden (Daniel)
4 Fox; her grandson's wife, Erika Knight (James) Fox; her
5 parents; her brothers, Lawrence, Frank, Louis, and Albert; and
6 her sisters, Anne, Margaret, Sister Carolyn OSF, Sister Laurene
7 OSF, Elizabeth, and Louise; and

8 WHEREAS, Antoinette Fox is survived by her daughter, Mary
9 Catherine; her sons, James (Susan), Daniel (Mary), Michael
10 (Barbara), and Bill (Janice); her grandchildren, James (Megan)
11 Fox, Christopher Fox, Lauren Fox Brown (Ward), Brian Fox,
12 William Fox (Alexandra Lake), Veronica Fox Miller (Ryan), Molly
13 Fox Larimer (Adam), Captain Thomas F. Fox (Chloe), Rebecca Fox,
14 First Lieutenant Jane Fox, and Alyssa Fox; her
15 great-grandchildren, Andrew Fox, Christopher "CJ" Fox, Liza
16 Brown, Sarah Antoinette Fox, Charlotte Brown, Madeline Fox,
17 Mikayla Miller, Grant Fox, Antoinette "Etta" Fox, Louise
18 Larimer, and Braydin Miller; and many nieces and nephews and
19 dear friends; therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
21 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
22 Antoinette "Toni" Virginia Frederick Fox, and extend our
23 sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew

1 and loved her; and be it further

2 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
3 presented to the family of Antoinette Fox as an expression of
4 our deepest sympathy.