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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened
3 to learn of the death of Carolyn Sue (Bock) Aaron of
4 Chillicothe, who passed away on November 25, 2023; and

5 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron was born to Grace and Samuel Bock
6 in Galesburg on October 12, 1942; she attended Midstate
7 College in Peoria; she married Paul Aaron on June 25, 1965; and

8 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron was an award-winning typist and
9 stenographer; she previously worked at Caterpillar, Inc.,
10 where she met her husband, Paul; and

11 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron was a homemaker for several years,
12 raising their daughters and teaching them a number of
13 subjects, including cooking, sports, and how to assist
14 neighbors and the community; she returned to work in the late
15 1970s; and

16 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron was active in the community,
17 leading a Girl Scout troop for many years and belonging to The
18 Red Hat Society in retirement; she was a member of the
19 Daughters of the American Revolution for many years, through
20 which she utilized her impressive organizational skills with
21 the assistance of her aunt to trace their family tree as far

1 back as the 17th century; and

2 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron was an excellent bowler, making the
3 news on several occasions for outstanding games; she enjoyed
4 antiquing, attending auctions, and collecting; she also
5 enjoyed playing softball, and she taught her daughters the
6 sport and never missed an opportunity to watch them play; she
7 loved decorating and baking for Christmas, including making an
8 endless number of homemade cookies and chocolates; and

9 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron was preceded in death by her
10 parents and her sister, Kathleen (Bock) Mustard; and

11 WHEREAS, Carolyn Aaron is survived by her husband of 58
12 years; her brother, Carl Bock; her daughters, Nicola Aaron,
13 Thecla Jolene (Mark) Parrish, and Monique (Chris) Robbins; her
14 grandchildren, Yvette Onychuk, Nadia Onychuk, Brandon Parrish,
15 Alexandra Parrish, Mitchell Parrish, Nicholas Robbins, and
16 Natalie Robbins; and her step-grandchildren, Brien Robbins and
17 Caitrin Robbins; therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
19 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
20 Carolyn Sue (Bock) Aaron and extend our sincere condolences to
21 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
22 further

1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
2 presented to the family of Carolyn Aaron as an expression of
3 our deepest sympathy.