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SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Michael Durrell McCurine, who passed away on July 19, 2009; and

WHEREAS, Michael McCurine was born on June 8, 1985 in Chicago; his parents were Michael Hunley and Angela McCurine Williams; and

WHEREAS, Michael McCurine attended Hinton Elementary School and graduated from Earle Elementary School; he then attended Simeon High School until his junior year, when he relocated to St. Paul, Minnesota and received his GED from a special program; and

WHEREAS, Michael McCurine confessed a hope in Christ and was baptized at Shiloh Baptist Church in Chicago; he later joined the House of Joy under the leadership of Pastor Johnny Lacy and was active in the maintenance of the church; and

WHEREAS, Michael McCurine is survived by his parents; his daughters, Imani, Makiya, and Mya; his grandmother, Jannie McCurine; his grandfather, J.D. Hunley; his grandparents, Stella and Lacy; his brothers, Matthew and Marcus; his sisters, Monika and Trinette; his many other relatives, nieces, nephews,

1 cousins, and friends; and his special friends, Kinyata and Ms.  
2 Domo; and

3 WHEREAS, Michael McCurine will be remembered by all who  
4 knew and loved him as a thoughtful, respectful, helpful, and  
5 humorous young man whose beautiful personality and love for his  
6 family endeared him to everyone he met; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL  
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
9 his family and friends, the passing of Michael Durrell  
10 McCurine; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
12 presented to the family of Michael McCurine as an expression of  
13 our sympathy.