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## SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Sergeant Jason McLeod of Crystal Lake, 4 who was killed in a mortar attack while serving in Pashmul, 5 Afghanistan on November 23, 2009; and

6 WHEREAS, He was born September 16, 1987, in Elgin, to 7 Gregory McLeod and Barb McLeod, nee Hanke; in 2006, he 8 graduated from Crystal Lake Central High School; and

9 WHEREAS, On July 10, 2007, he was united in marriage to 10 Aimee Rambo; and

11 WHEREAS, He enjoyed football, hockey, RC cars, and working 12 on cars; and

13 WHEREAS, Sergeant Jason McLeod is survived by his wife, Aimee McLeod; his daughter, Jocelyn Elizabeth McLeod; his 14 15 mother, Barb McLeod; his father, Gregory McLeod; his brother, Justin; his sister, Jacquee; his mother-in-law, Julie Ghannam; 16 17 his brothers-in-law, Andrew Graf and Daniel Escobar; his 18 maternal grandmother, Marion Hanke; his paternal grandparents, Denny and Sandra Williams; his paternal great-grandparents, 19 20 Charlie and Mable Kariya; and his many aunts, uncles, cousins, 21 and good friends; therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL 2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with 3 his friends, family, and a grateful nation, the passing of 4 Sergeant Jason McLeod; and be it further

5 RESOLVED, That we honor the memory of Sergeant Jason McLeod 6 and his willingness to serve his country, which led to him 7 making the ultimate sacrifice; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 9 presented to the family of Sergeant Jason McLeod as a symbol of 10 our sincere sympathy.