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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of United
4 States Army Specialist Chad Patrick Dellit of Sarasota, Florida
5 and Fulton, Illinois, with family living in nearby Clinton,
6 Iowa, who passed away on September 21, 2011; and

7 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit was born on July 17, 1989, in
8 Muskegon, Michigan; he was the son of Todd and Teresa (Curtis)
9 Dellit; and

10 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit graduated from Riverview High
11 School in Sarasota, Florida, in 2007; and

12 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit was employed as a night manager at
13 Albertson's Grocery in Sarasota, Florida; and

14 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit enlisted in the United States Army
15 on September 23, 2008, at Fort Jackson, South Carolina; he was
16 assigned to the 100th Engineer Company, 30th Engineer Battalion
17 of the 20th Engineer Brigade stationed at Fort Bragg, North
18 Carolina, where he trained to be a geospatial engineer; and

19 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit was a member of Beneva Christian
20 Church in Sarasota, Florida, where he was actively involved in

1 the church's youth group; and

2 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit enjoyed hunting, the outdoors,
3 mudding, and carpentry; he was a jack-of-all-trades who was
4 mechanically inclined and was an excellent soldier who would do
5 anything for his fellow comrades; and

6 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit was preceded in death by his
7 paternal grandparents, Donald Gene and Patricia Ann Dellit; and

8 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit is survived by his parents, Todd
9 and Teresa Dellit; his sister, Robin Marie Dellit; his maternal
10 grandparents, Roy and Mary Curtis and Kathy Curtis; and two of
11 his best friends, Manuel Martinez and Wade Feazell; and

12 WHEREAS, SPC Chad Dellit's patriotism and courage will be
13 remembered fondly by his loving family, his fellow soldiers,
14 and the citizens of our grateful nation; therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
16 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
17 we mourn, along with his family and friends, the passing of
18 United States Army Specialist Chad Patrick Dellit; and be it
19 further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

1 presented to the family of SPC Chad Dellit as an expression of
2 our sympathy.