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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 Yanta
4 Robier Wade-Bey, who passed away on September 12, 2014; and

5 WHEREAS, Yanta Wade-Bey was born on May 8, 1957 in Chicago;
6 his parents were Otis Wade-Bey and Willie C. Nettles Bey; he
7 married Ester H. Gulley; and

8 WHEREAS, Yanta Wade-Bey attended Waller High School and was
9 baptized in the Apostolic Church, where he met his future wife;
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11 WHEREAS, Yanta Wade-Bey was employed in the meat packing
12 industry for Delray Farms; he also worked at Zenith Electronics
13 and at Walgreens, where he worked in security; and

14 WHEREAS, Yanta Wade-Bey enjoyed photography, martial arts,
15 cooking, comic books, reading, going to the movies, watching
16 documentaries, animals, and learning about different cultures;
17 he spoke a number of languages, including Korean, Polish,
18 Spanish, and Vietnamese; he also loved music and played 17
19 different instruments by ear; and

20 WHEREAS, Yanta Wade-Bey was preceded in death by his

1 parents; 2 brothers, Michael Wade and Dukeith E. Wade Bey; and
2 a sister, Breem Q. Wade Bey; and

3 WHEREAS, Yanta Wade-Bey is survived by 4 children, Aijalon,
4 Demario, Timothy, and Shonair; 8 grandchildren; 2 brothers,
5 Othalee Wade and Vinram S. Wade Bey; 2 sisters, Carolyn Wade
6 and Jackie Dawson; 3 aunts, Almitor King, Ruby Moran, and
7 Costella Cowan; 2 uncles, Julian Nettles Bey and Noble Nettles
8 Bey; and many cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends; therefore,
9 be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
11 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
12 we, along with his family and friends, mourn the passing of
13 Yanta Robier Wade-Bey; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to the family of Yanta Wade-Bey as an expression of
16 our sympathy.