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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Susan Ann Lemon McNeely of Jacksonville, 4 who passed away on October 1, 2013; and 5 WHEREAS, Susan McNeely was born on May 24, 1950 in Jacksonville to Claude R. and Elizabeth (nee Duncheon) Lemon; 6 7 she attended Our Saviour School, Routt High School, and 8 Southern Illinois University at Carbondale; she married Charles E. McNeely on April 16, 1977 in Jacksonville; and 9 10 WHEREAS, Susan McNeely worked early on for the State of Illinois as a caseworker and later worked for many years as a 11 12 substitute teacher at the Ivan K. Garrison Center; and 13 WHEREAS, Susan McNeely was a lifelong member of the Church of Our Saviour; she enjoyed flower gardening, cooking, shopping 14 with her sisters, and caring for family; she was an avid Saint 15 16 Louis Cardinals fan and took many trips to see them play; and 17 WHEREAS, Susan McNeely was preceded in death by her 18 parents; and 19 WHEREAS, Susan McNeely is survived by her husband, Charles;

her sons, Adam (Katherine) McNeely, Justin McNeely, and

- 1 Christian McNeely; her granddaughter, Paige Elizabeth McNeely;
- 2 her siblings, Geralyn (David) Merritt, Robert A. (Stacy) Lemon,
- 3 Mark A. Lemon, Laura (Joe) Beets, and Claudia Lemon; her nieces
- 4 and nephews, John Merritt, Lauren Manegio, Micca Donohoo, Brock
- 5 Lemon, Nicole Beets, Elizabeth Beets, Andrea Cairo, and Brooke
- 6 Beets; therefore, be it
- 7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
- 8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 9 Susan Ann Lemon McNeely, and extend our sincere condolences to
- 10 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
- 11 further
- 12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Susan McNeely as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.