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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Neil Scott Noland of Blue Mound, who 4 passed away on October 30, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Neil Noland was born on January 3, 1928 in Decatur to Charles F. and Ruth I. (nee Scott) Noland; he attended a one-room school house north of Blue Mound and was a 1945 graduate of Blue Mound High School; he was a member of the Future Farmers of America, Rural Youth, and showed cattle in 4-H; he attended the University of Illinois, where he was a member of the FarmHouse fraternity; he married Erma Mae Moma on March 3, 1950; and

WHEREAS, Neil Noland served on the Stonington Cooperative Grain Board of Directors for 11 years and the Blue Mound School Board; he was on the Advisory Committees of Farm Credit Services and the Macon County Ag Extension Council; and

WHEREAS, Neil Noland was a life-long member of First Christian Church of Blue Mound (Disciples of Christ), where he served as Deacon, Chairman of the Board, and in various other ministries; he was a 60-year member of Blue Mound Masonic Lodge #682 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and served as Past Patron with the Blue Mound Order of the Eastern Star #327; he was a

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- 1 licensed pilot for 69 years and was a member of the Aircraft
- 2 Owners and Pilots Association; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Neil Noland was preceded in death by his parents;
- 4 his son, David F. Noland; and several brothers-in law and
- 5 sisters-in law; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Neil Noland is survived by his wife, Erma Mae; his
- 7 daughter, Dianne (Dave) Noland Negangard; his sons, Duane
- 8 (Tina) Noland and Dennis (Dani) Noland; his grandchildren,
- 9 Grant (Logan) Noland, Blake (Kristin) Noland, and Drew
- Negangard; and his great-grandchildren, Hudson Neil Noland and
- 11 Elizabeth Maye Noland; therefore, be it
- 12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
- ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- Neil Scott Noland, and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 15 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 16 further
- 17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 18 presented to the family of Neil Noland as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.