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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 United States Army Private Aaron Toppen 4 of Mokena, who passed away on June 9, 2014; and 5 WHEREAS, Private Aaron Toppen was a graduate of Lincoln-Way 6 East High School; and 7 WHEREAS, Private Aaron Toppen will be remembered fondly by 8 all who knew and loved him as a funny, caring, and loving kid 9 who loved fishing the outdoors, and spending time with his 10 family and friends; and 11 WHEREAS, Private Aaron Toppen's patriotism and courage 12 will be remembered fondly by his loving family, his fellow 13 soldiers, and the citizens of our grateful nation; therefore, be it 14 15 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL 16 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his 17 family and friends, mourn the passing of United States Army 18 Private Aaron Toppen; and be it further 19 That a suitable copy of this resolution be

presented to the family of Private Aaron Toppen as

1 expression of our sympathy.