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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Alma Aizkalns of Vernon Hills, who passed 4 away on August 20, 2014; and 5 WHEREAS, Alma Aizkalns was born in Broceni, Latvia; she 6 came to the United States in 1949 and became a citizen in 1954; 7 and 8 WHEREAS, Alma Aizkalns was a long-time resident of 9 Jamestown, New York, where she raised her family; she was a 10 buyer for Quality Markets Food Stores and was active with her church and the local Lions Club; and 11 12 WHEREAS, Alma Aizkalns relocated to Vernon Hills in 2010 13 and was an active member of the Vernon Hills Senior Center; she enjoyed watching the Buffalo Bills and the Chicago Bears and 14 15 playing bingo with her friends at Pathways Senior Housing; and 16 WHEREAS, Alma Aizkalns was preceded in death by her husband 17 of 44 years, Arturs Aizkalns, and her son, Ivar Aizkalns; and WHEREAS, Alma Aizkalns is survived by her 2 daughters, 18 19 (Steven) Freije and Cindy (Larry) Hebda 20 grandchildren, Laura Aizkalns, Jason (Leslie) Aizkalns,

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- 1 Kenneth Freije, Catherine Freije, and Stephanie (Andy)
- 2 Eddleman; therefore, be it
- 3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
- 4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 5 Alma Aizkalns, and extend our sincere condolences to her
- family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
- 7 further
- 8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 9 presented to the family of Alma Aizkalns as an expression of
- 10 our deepest sympathy.