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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Josephine "Jo" Piktel of North Chicago, who passed away on October 15, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, Josephine Piktel was born on March 11, 1917 to John and Pauline Treven; she was a member of Queen of Peace in North Chicago, formerly Mother of God; she was involved in St. Mary's KSKJ #79 where she was on many basketball and bowling teams with her sisters; and

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WHEREAS, Josephine Piktel was known as "Aunt Jo" by many; she cooked for every occasion and she taught anyone who wanted to learn how to bake her delicious treats; with her husband, she loved to go perch fishing off the south pier at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center which resulted in numerous fish fries in their back yard; she was an avid Chicago Cubs fan and a fan of many other sports that she enjoyed watching all year round; she always enjoyed visits from her great and great-great-nieces and nephews; and

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WHEREAS, Josephine Piktel was preceded in death by her husband, Frank; her parents; her sisters, Rose Terchek, Mary Deram, and Pauline Galinis; her brother, John Treven; and her nephew, John Deram; and

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1 WHEREAS, Josephine Piktel is survived by her nephews, Tom
2 (Lynn) Deram, Mike (Noreen) Galinis, Tim (Venetia) Terchek, and
3 Fred (Linda) Treven; her niece, Alice (Derry) Mumford; and
4 numerous great and great-great-nieces and nephews; therefore,
5 be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Josephine "Jo" Piktel, and extend our sincere condolences to
9 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Josephine Piktel as an expression of
13 our deepest sympathy.