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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Michael Stephen Ferguson, who passed away 4 on December 22, 2014; and

5 WHEREAS, Michael Ferguson was born in Chicago on May 25, 6 1952 to Paul Eugene and Theresa Lorraine (nee Bute) Ferguson; 7 and

8 WHEREAS, Michael Ferguson was an avid outdoorsman; he 9 enjoyed camping, hiking, fishing, and golfing; he loved his 10 long country drives and spending time with his family and 11 friends; and

WHEREAS, Michael Ferguson was preceded in death by his parents; his step-father, Norman Smith; and his brothers, John O'Hara, Thomas Scott, and Howard David; and

15 WHEREAS, Michael Ferguson is survived by his wife, Theresa; 16 his children, Andrea Harris, Dawn Ferguson, Michael Ferguson, 17 Amanda Ferguson, and Kate Ferguson; his grandchildren, Sonya, 18 Justin, and Jeffrey, Anthony and Ian, Tyler and Samantha, and 19 Ethan and Mason; his brothers, Paul Robert and Norman Andrew; 20 and his sisters, Elizabeth Jean, Theresa Lorraine, Mary Olivia, 21 Cynthia, Denise Lynn, and Leslie Dawn; therefore, be it 1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL 2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 3 Michael Stephen Ferguson, and extend our sincere condolences to 4 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it 5 further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 7 presented to the family of Michael Ferguson as an expression of 8 our deepest sympathy.