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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 Michael Bernard Jones of North Chicago, who passed away on March 12, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Michael Jones was born in Waukegan to Amos and Cleo Jones on March 10, 1960; he graduated from North Chicago Community High School in 1978, where he was All-County, All-State, and American Wrestling Champion; he graduated from Illinois State University with a Bachelor of Science in Economics; he trained for the USA Olympics wrestling team; and

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WHEREAS, Michael Jones worked for the Mitsubishi Corporation for many years; he opened IQ4U Catering in Bloomington; and

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WHEREAS, Michael Jones was an avid fan of the Green Bay Packers; he organized the first wrestling alumni gathering for his high school in 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Michael Jones was preceded in death by his father, Amos Jones, and his brother, Larry Jones; and

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WHEREAS, Michael Jones is survived by his mother, Cleo Jones; his two brothers, Ronald (Linda) Jones and Steve Jones;

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1 a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and loving family and
2 friends; and his two special friends, Damon Tuner and Todd
3 Hunter; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 Michael Bernard Jones, and extend our sincere condolences to
7 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Michael Jones as an expression of
11 our deepest sympathy.