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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 Dr. Sheila Trikha Khanna M.D., who passed away on December 12, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Dr. Khanna was born in Thika Kenya to Shyamlal Trikha and Bharati Bhardwaj on May 31, 1961; and

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WHEREAS, Dr. Khanna was a skilled and generous rehabilitation physician, who touched the lives of many; she chose her medical specialty out of the desire to treat and advocate for patients like her own late mother who battled against serious neurodegenerative diseases; and

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WHEREAS, Dr. Khanna created a home that served as a safe haven, full of warmth, laughter, and love; she had an extraordinary way of leaving an indelible mark in many lives, and she engaged passionately in all of her convictions, which included civic engagement; and

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WHEREAS, Dr. Khanna was the heart and soul of her family; she had a vibrant, extroverted nature and had the ability to make everyone feel special; she was known for her boundless love, her grace, her strength, her kindness, and her wisdom; and

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1 WHEREAS, Dr. Khanna was preceded in death by her husband;
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3 WHEREAS, Dr. Khanna is survived by her daughter, Priyanka;
4 her sisters; and many other family and friends; therefore, be
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6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Dr. Sheila Trikha Khanna M.D. and extend our sincere
9 condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved
10 her; and be it further

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