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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 Judith A. "Judy" Dallas of Granite City, who passed away on July 31, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Judith Dallas was born in Granite City to Henry and Ann (Stajduhar) Pieper on August 19, 1950; she married William A. "Bill" Dallas Jr. at the former St. Joseph Catholic Church in Granite City on September 15, 1973; and

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WHEREAS, Judith Dallas was a 44-year veteran of law enforcement and the criminal justice community, with 29 years at Madison County; her career started with the Granite City Police Department; she served as a detective secretary and chief's secretary before taking a job as a senior administrative assistant with the county's probation department in 1988; a year after she started working for the county she graduated with a bachelor's degree in sociology from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville; she worked her way up through the ranks, serving as supervisor, deputy chief, and chief probation officer; on March 14, 2008, she was named the first female director of the probation department; and

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WHEREAS, Judith Dallas was a member of the Illinois Probation and Court Services Association, which awarded her the

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1 prestigious Illinois Probation and Court Services
2 Association's Pauline Gansauer Award in 2002; she was a former
3 member of the American Probation and Parole Association; and

4 WHEREAS, Judith Dallas was a member of St. Mary Catholic
5 Church in Madison; she was an avid reader, had a special love
6 for animals, and enjoyed flowers and her garden; and

7 WHEREAS, Judith Dallas was preceded in death by her parents
8 and her father-in-law and mother-in-law, William Sr. and Irene
9 Dallas; and

10 WHEREAS, Judith Dallas is survived by her husband of 44
11 years, William; her brothers, Lawrence (Mary) Pieper and John
12 (Sheree) Pieper; her sister, Victoria (Kerry) Bundy; her
13 brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Thomas and Jessica Dallas;
14 her sister-in-law, Roberta "Bobbie" Dallas; her godson and
15 nephew, Jonathan Bundy; her nieces and nephews, Olivia Dallas,
16 Margaret Dallas, Megan Dallas, Thomas "J.J." Dallas, and
17 Melissa McCullouch; her aunts, Juanita James and Mary Pieper;
18 her special friends, Glenda and Steve Bowker; and many cousins,
19 extended family, colleagues, and cherished friends; therefore,
20 be it

21 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
22 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of

1 Judith A. "Judy" Dallas, and extend our sincere condolences to
2 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
3 further

4 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
5 presented to the family of Judith Dallas as an expression of
6 our deepest sympathy.