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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 Joan M. Callis of St. Louis, Missouri, formerly of Granite City, who passed away on April 16, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Joan Callis was born in East St. Louis to Joseph and Anna (Flak) Wegrzyn on March 20, 1939; and

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WHEREAS, Joan Callis participated in local charities and was recently a diva host for Food Outreach; she was also a political activist; and

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WHEREAS, Joan Callis was preceded in death by her parents; and her siblings, Anna Walentia, William J. Wegrzyn, Lottie LeVanti, Helen Patterson, and Chester J. Wegrzyn; and

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WHEREAS, Joan Callis is survived by her husband of 54 years, Felix "Lance" Callis; her children, Mona S. (Dale Erspamer) Callis, Ann E. (James Holloran) Callis, Melissa Mary Callis, and Phillip Lance Callis; her grandchildren, Michael, Anna, Nora (Phil Adams), Elliot, Caroline, Anna, Ava Rose, and Juan Manuel; and her six great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL

1 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
2 Joan M. Callis and extend our sincere condolences to her
3 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to the family of Joan Callis as an expression of our
7 deepest sympathy.