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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Richard G. Le Comte of Rock Island, who 4 passed away on August 8, 2019; and

5 WHEREAS, Richard Le Comte was born in Moline to George and 6 Lillian (Stratton) Le Comte on October 5, 1932 and was raised 7 by Hazel and Bob Pettit; he served in the U.S. Army and married 8 Norene Polacek in Moline on December 28, 1952; and

9 WHEREAS, Richard Le Comte was a machine operator at Alcoa 10 for 40 years, retiring in the 1990s; and

WHEREAS, Richard Le Comte was a former trustee of the Coal Valley Village Board; he was a life member of the Rock Island VFW and a member of Alcoa Retirees, the Coal Valley Lions Club, and the Lutheran faith; he enjoyed a great experience on an Honor Flight to Washington and loved to run, bowl, and fish; family was important to him, and he was proud of building his own home in Coal Valley; and

WHEREAS, Richard Le Comte was preceded in death by his sons-in-law, Ross Hall and Billy Cathcart, and his sisters, Edith Ransom and Aileen Berg; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Richard Le Comte is survived by his wife, Norene;
- 2 his daughters, Margo Hall, Pam (Bill) Comstock, Kim (Tom)
- 3 Frazier, Jack Davis, and Alicia (Dan) Johnson; 13
- 4 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and his foster mother,
- 5 Hazel Pettit; therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
- 7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 8 Richard G. Le Comte and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 9 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 10 further
- 11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 12 presented to the family of Richard Le Comte as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.