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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Ned L. Gosa Sr. of Moline, who passed 4 away on October 18, 2019; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Ned Gosa was born in Beaverton, Alabama to Lee and 6 Leila (Stanford) Gosa on June 24, 1937; he married June Gengler 7 in Muscatine, Iowa on June 2, 1956; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Ned Gosa worked as a mechanic for Alcoa for 40 9 years; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Ned Gosa was a member of Saint Maria Goretti
 11 Catholic Church in Coal Valley; he traveled to Alabama to visit
 12 family and took many road trips out west; he was an Alabama
 13 football fan and enjoyed taking care of his yard and garden; he
 14 loved spending time with his family and teasing his
 15 grandchildren; he had a great memory and was a great
 16 storyteller; and
- WHEREAS, Ned Gosa was preceded in death by his wife, June;
 his son, Ned Gosa Jr.; his brother, Edward Gosa; and his
 sister, Annette Helms; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Ned Gosa is survived by his children, Tina (Tom)

- 1 Prister and John (Jennifer) Gosa; his daughter-in-law, Terrina
- 2 Gosa; his grandchildren, Alicia Prister, Justin (Tiffany
- 3 Jackson) Prister, Jonathan Prister, Andrew (Ludmila) Prister,
- 4 and Chloe, Benjamin, and Adam Gosa; his sister, Vicki (David)
- 5 Spurlin; and his great-grandchildren, Nolan Holcombe and Wulfe
- 6 Prister; therefore, be it
- 7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
- 8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 9 Ned L. Gosa Sr. and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 10 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 11 further
- 12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Ned Gosa as an expression of our
- 14 deepest sympathy.