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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 Roy Fonseca of East Moline, who passed away on October 22, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Roy Fonseca was born in Rock Island to Ben and Elpidia (Martini) Fonseca on December 9, 1938; he served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War; he married Shiella (Childers) Allison in Muscatine, Iowa on June 20, 2000; and

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WHEREAS, Roy Fonseca retired from John Deere Harvester in East Moline in 1995, after 30 years of service; and

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WHEREAS, Roy Fonseca was past commander of VFW Post 2056 and a member of American Legion Post 227, where he was part of the Honor Guard; in 2018, he participated in the Honor Flight of the Quad Cities; and

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WHEREAS, Roy Fonseca was preceded in death by his parents; his siblings, Jessie (Frank) Cassilas and Alfred Fonseca; and his sister-in-law, Beverly Fonseca; and

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WHEREAS, Roy Fonseca is survived by his wife, Shiella; his sons, Michael and Joe Fonseca; his stepchildren, Dan Miller, Dawne Miller, and Heather (Blyndon) McLaughlin; 10

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1 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and his brother,
2 Manuel Fonseca; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
5 Roy Fonseca and extend our sincere condolences to his family,
6 friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Roy Fonseca as an expression of our
9 deepest sympathy.