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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 Dennis R. Bush of Rock Island, who passed 4 away on December 1, 2019; and

5 WHEREAS, Dennis Bush was born in Rock Island to Walter R.
6 and Shirley C. (Tacey) Bush on April 28, 1943; he graduated
7 from Alleman High School in 1961 and served his country in the
8 U.S. Army; he married Diana Burns in Milan on October 2, 1981;
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10 WHEREAS, Dennis Bush worked as a farmer and owned Bush
11 Electric; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Bush was an avid sportsman and enjoyed snowmobiling, riding ATVs, and watching sports; he also enjoyed NASCAR, traveling, and mowing his lawn; he was a fan of the Chicago Cubs and Bears and a member of the Namakagon Trail Groomers Club; he looked forward to the Wednesday morning breakfast club at Two Sisters Restaurant in Milan (The Scamper Inn in earlier years); he was very proud of his family and spent two years caring for his special-needs granddaughter, Alayna; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Bush was preceded in death by his parents;

- 1 his sister, Mary Beth; and his grandson, Drake DeKeyrel; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Dennis Bush is survived by his wife, Diana; his
- daughters, Angela (Dana) DeKeyrel and Annette (Mike) Epperly;
- 4 his grandchildren, Lexi, Doug, and Alayna DeKeyrel and Audrey
- 5 and Will Epperly; and his siblings, Darrel (Teresa) and Bruce
- 6 (Mary) Bush; 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 Dennis R. Bush 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 Dennis Bush as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.