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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 John S. Leithner of Rock Island, who passed away on December 22, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, John Leithner was born in Moline to Jack and Winona (Einfeldt) Leithner on November 8, 1947; he served in the U.S. Navy as a Seabee in Vietnam; he married Nancy Tiefenbach on January 29, 1972; and

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WHEREAS, John Leithner was employed with Illinois Bell (AT&T); he retired as a lineman after 30 years; and

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WHEREAS, John Leithner was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America; he enjoyed watching his grandchildren's baseball and softball games and fishing; he was extremely patriotic and always the life of the party; and

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WHEREAS, John Leithner was preceded in death by his parents; and

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WHEREAS, John Leithner is survived by his wife of 47 years, Nancy; his daughters, Laura (Scott) Estes and Linnsey Leithner (Tommy Belowske); his grandchildren, Faith and Bryant Estes; and his sister, Jacklyn Leithner; therefore, be it

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

6           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
7 presented to the family of John Leithner as an expression of  
8 our deepest sympathy.