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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 Richard J. "Rich" Ivnik of Springfield, who passed away on March 9, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Rich Ivnik was born in Joliet to Michael Ivnik and Julia Konopek on January 16, 1927; he served in the U.S. Army during World War II and married Lucille "CeleAnn" McCarthy at the Cathedral of St. Raymond in Joliet on June 21, 1947; and

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WHEREAS, Rich Ivnik worked as a systems analyst programmer for Caterpillar; he retired in 1983 after 33 years of service; and

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WHEREAS, Rich Ivnik was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, Knights of Columbus Council 364 (4th Degree), and Christ the King Parish; he was an avid fan of the Chicago Cubs and Joliet Catholic Academy sports and enjoyed fishing at several Wisconsin lakes; and

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WHEREAS, Rich Ivnik was preceded in death by his son, Robert Ivnik; his parents; and his brothers, Robert, Edward, and Raymond Ivnik; and

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WHEREAS, Rich Ivnik is survived by his wife of over 72

1 years, CeleAnn; his daughters, Barbara J. (Richard) Lyons and
2 Mary Jo (Jodi) Hendricksen; his daughter-in-law, Marie Ivnik;
3 seven grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren; therefore, be
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5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Richard J. "Rich" Ivnik and extend our sincere condolences to
8 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Rich Ivnik as an expression of our
12 deepest sympathy.