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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 Billy Gene Sneed of Moline, who passed away on November 10, 2021; and

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WHEREAS, Billy Sneed was born to Enos Monroe and Bessie (Counts) Sneed in Russellville, Alabama on August 30, 1927; he proudly served in the U.S. Army during World War II; he earned a degree in Agricultural Engineering from Auburn University; he married Mary Catherine Hester in Russellville on May 16, 1953, and she preceded him in death on January 14, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Billy Sneed worked for John Deere for 40 years; he first worked in Atlanta before moving to the Quad Cities where he worked as product support manager; he retired in 1990; and

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WHEREAS, Billy Sneed was a very active member of First Presbyterian Church of East Moline and served on several committees over the years; and

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WHEREAS, Billy Sneed enjoyed golfing, playing bridge, and working in his yard; he also loved Auburn football and Iowa football and basketball; and

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1 WHEREAS, Billy Sneed is survived by his daughters, Beverly
2 (Bill) Nesbit and Marilyn (Greg) Cornish; his grandchildren,
3 Nate (Caitlyn) Nesbit, Sam (Eliza) Nesbit, Grant (Caitlin)
4 Cornish, and Emily (Zack) Jaeger; his great-grandchild, Graham
5 Cornish; and his siblings, Leland (Annette) and Carolyn
6 Fuller; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
9 Billy Gene Sneed 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
13 presented to the family of Billy Sneed as an expression of our
14 deepest sympathy.