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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to  
3 learn of the death of Ralph A. Coari of Lake Villa, who passed  
4 away on December 27, 2011; and

5 WHEREAS, Ralph Coari was born on July 9, 1955, in Chicago;  
6 he was the son of Joan and the late Ralph, Sr.; he lived in Lake  
7 Villa for the past 32 years, moving there from Antioch; and

8 WHEREAS, Ralph Coari served his country with pride and  
9 distinction as a member of the United States Army; and

10 WHEREAS, Ralph Coari retired from the Kiley Developmental  
11 Center after 30 years of service; he was a member and past  
12 president of AFSCME Council 31 Local 785; and

13 WHEREAS, Ralph Coari was a member of Prince of Peace  
14 Catholic Church; and

15 WHEREAS, Ralph Coari coached youth softball and girls  
16 iceless hockey for many years; he was devoted to his family and  
17 spent his leisure time on the golf course; and

18 WHEREAS, Ralph Coari was preceded in death by his father,  
19 Ralph, Sr.; and

1           WHEREAS, Ralph Coari is survived by his wife, Diane, whom  
2 he married on August 18, 1979; his daughters, Rachel (Hoby)  
3 Roberts and Kristin; his granddaughter, Cadence Roberts; his  
4 mother, Joan Mitchell; his brothers, Richard (Debbie) Coari,  
5 John (Karen) Coari, and Ken (Cindy) Coari; and his nephews,  
6 Dan, Brendon, David, Brian, Jason, Matthew, Nick, Jon, and  
7 Joshua, and their families; therefore, be it

8           RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL  
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
10 his family and friends, the passing of Ralph A. Coari; and be  
11 it further

12           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
13 presented to the family of Ralph Coari as an expression of our  
14 sympathy.