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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of W. Ronald  
4 Dietz; and

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WHEREAS, W. Ronald Dietz served his country with  
6 distinction as a member of the United States Navy during the  
7 Vietnam War; and

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WHEREAS, W. Ronald Dietz earned his master's degree in  
9 business administration from Stanford University; and

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WHEREAS, W. Ronald Dietz was the retired president and  
11 chief executive officer of the W.M. Putnam Company in  
12 Bloomington; he also served as director of the Capital One  
13 Financial Corporation, where he served as chairman of the Audit  
14 and Risk Committee; he previously served as chief executive  
15 officer of Anthem Financial and American Savings Bank of New  
16 York in Indianapolis, Indiana; he also served at Citibank as  
17 Senior Vice President and Division Executive in charge of  
18 operations in the Caribbean and northern South America; and

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WHEREAS, W. Ronald Dietz served as Chairman of the Board of  
20 the DuPage Children's Museum in Naperville since 2010; he also  
21 served on the Board of the Indianapolis Children's Museum; and

1           WHEREAS, W. Ronald Dietz is survived by his wife, Carol  
2 Gies Dietz; his son, David Dietz; his stepchildren, Jeff and  
3 Cindy Gies; his grandchildren, Lindsey and Matthew Gies and  
4 Maureen and Thomas Strasser; and his brother, Bradley Dietz;  
5 therefore, be it

6           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
7 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
8 we mourn, along with his family and friends, the passing of W.  
9 Ronald Dietz; and be it further

10           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
11 presented to the family of W. Ronald Dietz as an expression of  
12 our sympathy.