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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to  
3 learn of the death of John F. Pretto of Vernon Hills, who  
4 passed away on August 19, 2014; and

5 WHEREAS, John Pretto was born on July 29, 1926 in Crystal  
6 Falls, Michigan; and

7 WHEREAS, John Pretto served as a member of the United  
8 States Marine Corps in the Pacific theatre during World War II;  
9 and

10 WHEREAS, John Pretto was a lifelong Green Bay Packers fan  
11 and a member of the Local 56 Bricklayers Union; and

12 WHEREAS, John Pretto is survived by his wife of 50 years,  
13 Anna (nee Doran); 3 children, John Pretto, Michael "Mikey"  
14 (Jennifer) Pretto, and Anji (William) Sims; a daughter-in-law,  
15 Jennifer; 5 grandchildren, Alexa, Ava, Anthony, Donald John  
16 "DJ", and Isabella "Bella", a sister, Carmen Nardi; and a  
17 brother, Donald Broskowitz; therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL  
19 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his  
20 family and friends, mourn the passing of John F. Pretto; and be

1 it further

2 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
3 presented to the family of John Pretto as an expression of our  
4 sympathy.