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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Lula
4 Christine Brown, who passed away on March 14, 2015; and

5 WHEREAS, Lula Brown was born on November 10, 1934 in
6 Coatopa, Alabama; her parents were Curtis C. and Rosie Lee (nee
7 Crocker) Davis; and

8 WHEREAS, After skipping a grade and graduating from high
9 school in Livingston, Alabama, Lula Brown relocated to Waukegan
10 and assisted many other Alabamians in doing the same; and

11 WHEREAS, Lula Brown retired from the Chrysler Corporation
12 in Kenosha, Wisconsin after many years of service; and

13 WHEREAS, After over 40 years of attendance at Trinity
14 African Methodist Episcopal Church, Lula Brown was baptized in
15 the North Shore Church of Christ in 2011; and

16 WHEREAS, Lula Brown was the President of the Waukegan
17 Chapter of Alabama Club for over 36 years, retiring in 2013;
18 while there, she did a great deal of community work and was
19 recognized for such by the People's Voice; and

1 WHEREAS, Lula Brown was preceded in death by her husband,
2 Willis "Nutch" Brown; her parents; her grandparents; an aunt,
3 Rilla Ward; a brother-in-law, Charles London; a niece, Janice
4 Rogers; a cousin, Barbara Abrams; a cousin-in-law, Jack Adams,
5 Jr.; a special niece, Rosa Hughes; and a special friend, Lucy
6 Anderson; and

7 WHEREAS, Lula Brown is survived by her only child, Sherby
8 Dianne (Anthony) Scurto; a grandson, Willis Lamar (Dama)
9 Foster; a great-granddaughter, Nalani Annise Foster; a sister,
10 Stella London; an aunt, Annie Mae Hawkins-Grant; 2 special
11 cousins, Callie D. Adams and Thomas (Jean) Moore; a
12 god-daughter, Shauna (Mitch) Smith; her best friend, Pearlene
13 Strawn; her special family friends, James Altounions, Thomas
14 O'Neils, and Tony and Merna Franklin; and her many nieces,
15 nephews, cousins, in-laws, church family members, and friends;
16 therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
18 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
19 we, along with her family and friends, mourn the passing of
20 Lula Christine Brown; and be it further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
22 presented to the family of Lula Brown as an expression of our
23 sympathy.