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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Richard E. Lind, M.D. of Woodstock, who 4 passed away on September 27, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lind was born in Princeton on October 9, 1951 to Ellis and Vivian (nee Jenner) Lind; he graduated with a chemistry degree from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and later attended medical school at the University of Illinois at Chicago; he married Joanne Hoeft on June 12, 1976 at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Naperville; he completed his surgical residency and vascular fellowship at the University of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lind moved to Woodstock in 1983; he founded Surgical Associates of Fox Valley in Crystal Lake; he was a member of the medical staff at Centegra Hospitals in Woodstock and McHenry and Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital in Barrington; over his 33 years, he has served as President of the medical staff, Chief of Surgery, and Chief Trauma Director at both Centegra Hospital-Woodstock and McHenry; he was a hospital board member and Chairman of the Cancer Committee; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lind faithfully attended his 4 sons' sporting events throughout their school years, rarely missing a game

- despite a rigorous schedule; he enjoyed rooting for Chicago
- 2 sports teams and took pleasure in working in his garden; he
- 3 loved music and playing the piano and the trumpet; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Dr. Lind was preceded in death by his father,
- 5 Ellis; his in-laws, Walter and Sophia Hoeft; and his sister,
- 6 Diane Nyman; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Dr. Lind is survived by his of wife of 39 years,
- 8 Joanne; his sons, Thomas (Karlyn), Michael (Jennifer),
- 9 Timothy, and Jeffrey; his mother, Vivian; his brother, Donald
- 10 (Susan); his sister, Denise (James) Guinn; and his 17 nieces
- 11 and nephews; therefore, be it
- 12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
- 13 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 14 Richard E. Lind, M.D., and extend our sincere condolences to
- his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 16 further
- 17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 18 presented to the family of Dr. Lind as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.