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1 SENATE RESOLUTION WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Ronald Earl Gordon of Moline, who passed 4 away on January 7, 2016; and WHEREAS, Ronald Gordon was born in Rock Island on March 2, 5 6 1941 to Raymond and Lois Beede Gordon; he graduated from Moline 7 High School and served in the United States Navy from 1958 to 8 1961; he married Charlotte Crompton on September 3, 1961 in 9 Rock Island; and WHEREAS, Ronald Gordon worked for Rock Island Lines and 10 11 retired from John Deere Seeding in Moline in 2003 after 38 12 years of service; and 13 WHEREAS, Ronald Gordon was an avid fisherman and hunter; he was raised on the Rock River and knew it like the back of his 14 15 hand; he enjoyed spending time with his family and spending 16 time on his porch watching the river, ducks, and geese; and 17 WHEREAS, Ronald Gordon was preceded in death by his wife, 18 Charlotte; his parents; his son, Steven; and his grandson; and 19 WHEREAS, Ronald Gordon is survived by his children, Tari

(Andrew) Nevener, Tony (Izumi) Harahi-Gordon, and James

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- 1 Gordon; his grandchildren, Ron (Alisha) Gordon, Raynn
- Oechsner, Tessa Gordon, and Ryder Gordon; his brother, David
- 3 (Norma) Gordon; and his special friend, Shirley Seaton;
- 4 therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
- 6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 7 Ronald Earl Gordon, and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 8 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 9 further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to the family of Ronald Gordon as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.