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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Peter J. Manzo of East Moline, who passed away on December 7, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Peter Manzo was born in New York City in 1921; he served in the United States Navy during World War II, receiving numerous decorations, including, the World War II Victory Medal, the American Campaign Medal, the Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal with 2 Bronze Stars, the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with one Bronze Star, and the Navy USCG Unit Commendation Ribbon; he married Doris in New York, and he benefitted from the GI Bill, receiving his bachelor's degree in business from Union College in Schenectady, New York; and

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WHEREAS, Peter Manzo retired from the Army Weapons Command at Rock Island Arsenal as Comptroller and Director of Programs in 1979; and

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WHEREAS, Peter Manzo loved the game of baseball, often reminiscing about Joe DiMaggio; he loved to work and was a devoted family man; and

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WHEREAS, Peter Manzo is survived by his wife, Doris; his

1 children, Philip Manzo, Leslie Conroy, Cheryl (John) Scipione,
2 and Peter (Virginia) Manzo; his 10 grandchildren; his 13
3 great-grandchildren; his great-great-granddaughter; and many
4 nieces and nephews; 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 Peter J. Manzo, 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 Peter Manzo as an expression of our
12 deepest sympathy.