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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 Edward William Schaefer, who passed away on February 15, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Schaefer was born in Chicago to Robert and Marilyn (Taken) Schaefer on November 7, 1951; he married Sarah Donahue at Saint Mary Catholic Church in Woodstock on September 24, 1976; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Schaefer moved to Harvard with his family when he was 16 years old to build Plum Tree Golf Course with his father; he was a member of International Operating Engineers Local 150 for 49 years; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Schaefer taught his girls how to work on cars and to do home improvements; he enjoyed taking his family camping, and taught them to ride horses; he enjoyed building homes, taking trips to Mexico and Fort Myers, Florida with friends and family, taking boat rides on Lake Geneva, and family road trips to Gulf Shores for many years; he was very adventurous, and loved finding new places to explore and spending time with his family; and

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WHEREAS, Edward Schaefer was preceded in death by his

1 parents, and a brother-in-law, Roger Curio; and

2 WHEREAS, Edward Schaefer is survived by his wife, Sarah  
3 "Sally"; his daughters, Katherine, Jennifer Schaefer, and Amy  
4 (Charlie) Vicari; his grandchildren, Colin, Allyson, and  
5 Charlie; his sisters, Bonnie (Ray) Shields and Joan Curio; and  
6 many cousins, nieces, and nephews; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL  
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
9 Edward William Schaefer, and extend our sincere condolences to  
10 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
13 presented to the family of Edward Schaefer as an expression of  
14 our deepest sympathy.