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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 Darrell F. Smith of Erie, who passed away on April 26, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Darrell Smith was born in rural Erie to Harvey and Iola (Halligan) Smith on October 13, 1929; he served in the United States Army until 1953 and married Esther E. Boykisky in May of 1954; and

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WHEREAS, Darrell Smith worked for International Harvester until retiring after many years of faithful service; and

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WHEREAS, Darrell Smith ran competitively for most of his life; he was a former member of the American Legion; he enjoyed going dancing with his wife and was a loving family man; and

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WHEREAS, Darrell Smith was preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Marjorie; and

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WHEREAS, Darrell Smith is survived by his wife, Esther; his brother, Wesley (Opal) Smith; his sister, Mary Anne (James) Snider; his sisters-in-law, Carol Blaylock and Mary Jane Kane; and several nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
3 Darrell F. Smith, and extend our sincere condolences to his
4 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
5 further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the family of Darrell Smith as an expression of
8 our deepest sympathy.