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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 Elizabeth Briskovich of Bunker Hill, who passed away on July 2, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Elizabeth Briskovich was born in Granite City to Charles Dana and Gertrude (Bequette) Dana on March 22, 1925; she married George E. Briskovich in Wilsonville on June 12, 1948; and

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WHEREAS, Elizabeth Briskovich was a homemaker in the early years of her marriage before working for the Olin Winchester Division; she retired at the age of 62, after 24 years; and

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WHEREAS, Elizabeth Briskovich was a member of the machinists union and the American Legion Auxiliary for many years; she was also a member of St. Mary Church in Bunker Hill, where she served on the Altar Society; she enjoyed many hobbies during her life including cooking, gardening, sewing, crocheting, quilting, and crafts; and

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WHEREAS, Elizabeth Briskovich was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, George; her brothers, Charles Dana, Allie Dana, and Joe Dana; and her sisters, Bernice Dana, Trudy King, Margaret Oldenettel, and Bobbie Katich; and

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1 WHEREAS, Elizabeth Briskovich is survived by her sons,
2 Michael (Cathi) Briskovich and Randall C. (Gina) Briskovich;
3 her daughters, Joanne (Rory) Kahl and Dana (Tom) Benbenek; her
4 grandchildren, Greg (Joni) Briskovich, Chad (Keri) Briskovich,
5 Kimberly Briskovich, Zebadiah Briskovich, Shawn Garrett,
6 Bobbie Jo (Terry) Blevins, Staci (Greg) Blevins, Robbie (Tracy)
7 Kahl, Samantha Watson, and Alexander Watson; her
8 step-grandchildren, Steffanne (Josh) Adkins, Tommy Benbenek,
9 Hayden Benbenek, and Quin Benbenek; 15 great-grandchildren;
10 three great-great-grandchildren; her sisters, Rita Smith and
11 Helen (Steve) Zink; and many nieces and nephews; therefore, be
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13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
14 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
15 Elizabeth Briskovich, and extend our sincere condolences to her
16 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
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18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
19 presented to the family of Elizabeth Briskovich as an
20 expression of our deepest sympathy.