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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 William Camden "Cam" Gass of Moline, who passed away on September 17, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Cam Gass was born in Hastings, Nebraska to Melvin Camden and Cecilia Wieland Gass on December 11, 1933; he served in the U.S. Army and married Arlene Darby in 1962; and

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WHEREAS, Cam Gass was employed in the Engineering Standards department by Deere and Company for 30 years; he retired in 2001; he was a member of the Engineering Graphics Committee for the International Standards Organization; and

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WHEREAS, Cam Gass enjoyed swimming and swam a mile a day until he was 79 years old; his pride and joy were his sons and grandchildren; he also enjoyed traveling all over the world and visited over 42 countries; he cherished the time he spent with friends and was always on the go; and

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WHEREAS, Cam Gass was preceded in death by his sister, Leila Hemmingsen, and his former wife and good friend, Arlene; and

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WHEREAS, Cam Gass is survived by his sons, William C.

1 "Chip" Gass and David D. (Kim) Gass; his granddaughters, Olivia
2 Darby and Cece V. Gass and Katherine E. and Audrey C. Gass; and
3 his stepgrandson, Austin O'Brien; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 William Camden "Cam" Gass and extend our sincere condolences to
7 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Cam Gass as an expression of our
11 deepest sympathy.