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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Dr. Joseph Karinattu of Danville, who 4 passed away on January 9, 2019; and

5 WHEREAS, Dr. Karinattu was born in Erumeli, India to Mathew 6 and Ann (Njarackel) Karinattu on August 6, 1938; he married Raj 7 Mundattuchundayil on August 19, 1963; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Karinattu founded the Tilton Medical Center in 1984, where he worked as a family practice physician; he was a volunteer physician at Well Baby Clinics for several years; he was nursing home director at Vermilion Manor and Colonial Manor Nursing Homes; he was a past president of the Vermilion County Medical Society and served as the secretary and treasurer of the Vermilion County Medical Society from 1990 to the present; and

16 WHEREAS, Dr. Karinattu was a member St. Paul's Catholic
17 Church; he enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren,
18 photography, listening to classical music, and fishing; and

19 WHEREAS, Dr. Karinattu was preceded in death by his parents 20 and one sister; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Dr. Karinattu is survived by his wife, Raj; his
- 2 son, Jeff (Betcy) Karinattu; his daughter, Jennifer (Jim) Ward;
- 3 his grandchildren, Ava Karinattu and Caitlyn and Justin Ward;
- 4 his three brothers and three sisters; and a special cousin,
- 5 Rev. Thomas Njarackel; therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
- 7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 8 Dr. Joseph Karinattu and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 9 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 10 further
- 11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 12 presented to the family of Dr. Karinattu as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.