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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 Byron Eugene Sackett, who passed away on April 6, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Byron Sackett was born to Jonathan Henry and Jane Bell (Powers) Sackett in Meredosia on January 2, 1926; he married Darlene Taylor in Alton on March 31, 1951; and

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WHEREAS, Byron Sackett worked as a industrial research chemist in Chicago; after moving back to the Alton area, he attended Southern Illinois University Edwardsville where he earned a master's degree in Education Administration and Media; he then began working for Alton Public Schools as their audio visual/media specialist and introduced the teachers of the Alton School District to video recording and computers; he retired in 1991; and

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WHEREAS, Byron Sackett was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, Glen Sackett; his sisters, Josephine Pennock and Mary Carr; and his nephews, Scott Rhodes and Ryan Aud; and

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WHEREAS, Byron Sackett is survived by his daughter, Deborah Lynn Sackett; his son, Richard Sackett; his grandchildren,

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1 Jamie and Kieran Moylan; his sisters-in-law, Betty Taylor,
2 Eilene Taylor and Violet Sackett; and his numerous nieces and
3 nephews; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 Byron Eugene Sackett and extend our sincere condolences to his
7 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 Byron Sackett as an expression of
11 our deepest sympathy.