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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Donald L. Barnett of Canton, who 4 passed away on February 11, 2024; and

5 WHEREAS, Donald Barnett was born to Charles and Nellie 6 (Werry) Barnett in Canton on September 7, 1937; he served as an 7 air policeman in the U.S. Air Force, and he was stationed at 8 the McConnell Air Force Base in Wichita, Kansas; he married 9 Frances Swise in Phoenix, Arizona on April 4, 1962; and

10 WHEREAS, Donald Barnett retired from Caterpillar Tractor11 Co. after 30 years of service; and

12 WHEREAS, Donald Barnett was skilled in constructing 13 miniature model houses and buildings of places of interest; he 14 enjoyed telling stories and jokes to his friends and family; 15 and

16 WHEREAS, Donald Barnett was preceded in death by his wife; 17 his parents; his children, Donnie Barnett and Linda Barnett; 18 and his grandchild, Elizabeth; and

WHEREAS, Donald Barnett is survived by his daughter, Dawn
(Joe "Mike") Putman, and his grandson, Matthew Putman;

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2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL 3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 4 Donald L. Barnett and extend our sincere condolences to his 5 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it 6 further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 8 presented to the family of Donald Barnett as an expression of 9 our deepest sympathy.