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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 E. Wilson Slack, who passed away on November 1, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, E. Wilson Slack was born on October 9, 1927 in Kaw City, Oklahoma; his mother was Clara Hyde; he married the love of his life, Shirlene Stoneking, on May 28, 1950 in Nowata, Oklahoma; and

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WHEREAS, E. Wilson Slack joined the United States Navy in 1945 at the age of 17; he proudly served his country during World War II; and

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WHEREAS, Following his military service, E. Wilson Slack attended Oklahoma A & M College (now Oklahoma State University), where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree; and

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WHEREAS, E. Wilson Slack worked for Amoco Oil Company (British Petroleum) for 38 years; and

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WHEREAS, E. Wilson Slack enjoyed golfing, reading books, and spending time with his family; and

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1 WHEREAS, E. Wilson Slack was preceded in death by his
2 mother and 2 brothers, Delbert and Benjamin; and

3 WHEREAS, E. Wilson Slack is survived by his wife, Shirlene;
4 2 sons, Kevin Slack and Steven (Leeann) Slack; 8 grandchildren,
5 Kyle Slack, Curtis Slack, Colin Slack, Christopher Slack, Dan
6 (Melissa) Slack, Mike (Renee) Slack, Rachael (Ben) Jaudon, and
7 Ellie (Paul) Kinman; and 5 great-grandchildren; therefore, be
8 it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
10 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his
11 family and friends, mourn the passing of E. Wilson Slack; and
12 be it further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to the family of E. Wilson Slack as an expression of
15 our sympathy.