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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 Daniel M. Simatovich of Moline, who passed away on February 13, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Daniel Simatovich was born in Brazil, Iowa to Joseph and Katie Tomich Simatovich on January 30, 1931; he served in the United States Navy from 1951 to 1955 and married Carol J. Wind in Hammond, Indiana on September 26, 1970; and

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WHEREAS, Daniel Simatovich worked at the Mueller-Bahnsen Lumber Co. as a yard foreman, retiring after 32 years of service; and

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WHEREAS, Daniel Simatovich was a member of Sacred Heart Church, American Legion Post 246, the Veterans of Foreign Wars Velie Post 2153, and the Croatian Crest Club, all in Moline; he was also a member of the Croatian Fraternal Lodge 217 in Benld; he enjoyed golfing, fishing in Minnesota, following the Chicago Bears, and watching Notre Dame and Alleman football games; and

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WHEREAS, Daniel Simatovich was preceded in death by his parents; his sisters, Mary Poljak, Frances Meewes, and Ellen Kauzlarich; and his brothers, Joe and Steve Cvitonavich; and

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1 WHEREAS, Daniel Simatovich is survived by his wife, Carol;
2 his nephew, Ron Poljak; and his niece, Jan (Gary) Merridith;
3 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 Daniel M. Simatovich, 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 Daniel Simatovich as an expression
11 of our deepest sympathy.