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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 Eugene B. Shaffer of Waukegan, who passed away on February 13, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Eugene Shaffer was born in Fort Wayne, Indiana to Herman and Catherine Shaffer on November 18, 1933; he joined the United States Army in 1953 and was honorably discharged in 1957; and

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WHEREAS, Eugene Shaffer worked as a maintenance mechanic for various companies; for a short time, he was part-owner of a tavern called "Dave and Gene's" located in North Chicago; and

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WHEREAS, Eugene Shaffer was a member of the American Legion for many years; he enjoyed watching auto racing, hunting, fishing, and trap shooting; he also enjoyed watching "Jeopardy" with his friends at the local bar; and

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WHEREAS, Eugene Shaffer was preceded in death by his wife, Karin; his parents; his sisters, Betty and Judy; and his brothers, Joseph and Robert; and

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WHEREAS, Eugene Shaffer is survived by his brothers, Don and Jim; his sister, Lola; his children, Linda, Peggy, Jean

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1 Ann, and Joseph (Daria); and eight grandchildren; therefore, be
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3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
5 Eugene B. Shaffer, and extend our sincere condolences to his
6 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
7 further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of Eugene Shaffer as an expression of
10 our deepest sympathy.