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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Norma Ann Showers of Alton, who passed 4 away on July 15, 2017; and

- 5 WHEREAS, Norma Showers was born in Kinmundy to Mark E. and 6 Laura A. (Doolen) Headley on January 6, 1929; she married 7 Norman Showers in Long Beach, California on December 24, 1950; 8 and
- 9 WHEREAS, Norma Showers was a special education school 10 teacher for the Alton School District for over 25 years, 11 retiring in 1991; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Norma Showers was a member of Calvary Baptist
 13 Church in Alton, where she implemented and taught an adult
 14 special needs Sunday school class; she also began and taught a
 15 Sunday school class at the Alton Mental Health Center; she
 16 served on the board for The William M. BeDell Achievement and
 17 Resource Center (ARC) for 30 years, and was a member of the
 18 Gideon Auxiliary for many years; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Norma Showers was preceded in death by her 20 parents; her son, Timothy Michael "Timmy" Showers; and her 21 sister, Mary Patricia "Pat" Meyer; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Norma Showers is survived by her husband of 66
- years, Norman; her sons, Robert A. (Elizabeth Bauer) Showers 2
- 3 and Mark E. (Jeanne) Showers; her daughters, Carole A. Showers
- 4 and Rebecca S. (Richard) Luer; her grandchildren, Aimee (Shine)
- 5 (Jaime) Davis, Katie (Michael) Walsh, Shannon
- 6 Christopher A. Hesh (Dr. Hee Won Lee), Cade M. Bauer-Showers,
- 7 and Laura G. Hesh; her great-grandchildren, Max and Elise Lin;
- 8 her brother, Charles (Marilyn) Headley; her brother-in-law,
- 9 William "Bill" Meyer; and many nieces and nephews; therefore,
- 10 be it
- 11 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 13 Norma Ann Showers, and extend our sincere condolences to her
- 14 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
- 15 further
- RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 16
- 17 presented to the family of Norma Showers as an expression of
- 18 our deepest sympathy.