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## SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Joseph S. Abbate Jr. of Wonder Lake, who 4 passed away on December 12, 2017; and

5 WHEREAS, Joseph Abbate was born in 1956; and

6 WHEREAS, Joseph Abbate was the owner of The American 7 Academy of Computer Training and Technology from 1991 to 2015; 8 and

9 WHEREAS, Joseph Abbate was a gifted musician and a worship 10 leader at various churches throughout McHenry County over the 11 past 20 years; he was a passionate tropical fish breeder and a 12 member of the Greater Chicago Cichlid Association; and

13 WHEREAS, Joseph Abbate is survived by his loving wife of 24 14 years, Roxane; his beloved children, Samantha and Joshua; his 15 sister, Jo Anne Abbate; his brother, Dr. Samuel (Anne) Abbate; 16 his niece, Alyssa Lorenz; and several other relatives and 17 friends; therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL 19 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 20 Joseph S. Abbate Jr., and extend our sincere condolences to his SR1233 -2- LRB100 16544 MST 31676 r 1 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it 2 further

3 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 4 presented to the family of Joseph Abbate as an expression of 5 our deepest sympathy.