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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Leonard A. Serio of Crystal Lake, who 4 passed away on December 25, 2017; and

5 WHEREAS, Lenny Serio was born in Burlington, Illinois to
6 Leonard and Doris Serio on June 10, 1932; he was raised in the
7 Elgin area; he married Patricia A. Davidson on August 18, 1956;
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WHEREAS, Lenny Serio served in the United States Air Force and then in the National Guard; he worked on F86 jets and KC97 fuel tankers, was a flight engineer on the KC97, and a flight refueling specialist and instructor; he retired in 1968; he worked as a carpenter on many homes in Cary before moving on to commercial enterprises; and

WHEREAS, Lenny Serio enjoyed restoring cars with his son, bowling with his friends, and flying many different types of aircraft at the local airport; he loved his pet schnauzers; he was a devoted husband and an integral part of his son's life; and

WHEREAS, Lenny Serio was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Nancy; and his son, Barry; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Lenny Serio is survived by his wife, Patricia; a
- 2 sister, Marilyn; his daughter-in-law, Susan; and his many
- 3 nieces, nephews, and friends; 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 Leonard A. Serio 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 Lenny Serio as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.