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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 Fremont A. "Jr." Rudsell of Reynolds, who passed away on April 10, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Jr. Rudsell was born in Moline to Fremont Sr. and Mary (Carter) Rudsell on October 21, 1947; he served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War and was stationed in Germany; he married Candice "Candy" Tillman on October 1, 1971; on that day, he also became the father to Candy's children; and

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WHEREAS, Jr. Rudsell retired from Raymond-Muscatine, Inc., where he was an assembler for many years; he was also a retired member of the Reynolds Volunteer Fire Department; and

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WHEREAS, Jr. Rudsell was a past member of the Jaycees; in his younger years, he was an accomplished horseman; he cherished camping at Loud Thunder and preparing meals for his family and friends; he played Santa for many years; farming with his son brought him great joy, and teaching his younger granddaughters about the farm was important to him; he took great pride in his family; and

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WHEREAS, Jr. Rudsell was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, Donald; and many of his aunts and uncles; and

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1 WHEREAS, Jr. Rudsell is survived by his wife, Candy; his
2 children, Christopher (Kelly) Rudsell, Eric (Sommer) Lawrence,
3 and Elizabeth (Stan) Boney; his grandchildren, Celina, Hunter,
4 Samantha, Isabella, Cammie, Makenna, and Alexis; his siblings,
5 John (Judy) Rudsell, Richard (Karen) Rudsell, Larry (Marla)
6 Rudsell, Judy (Conrad) Washburn, Maxine (Jesse) Patterson,
7 Sonja (Ralph) Brown, Billie Terrill, Nancy (Steve) Allnutt,
8 Annie Rudsell, Rudy (Linda) Rudsell, and Rusty (Shelly)
9 Rudsell; and his many other family members and friends;
10 therefore, 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 Fremont A. "Jr." Rudsell and extend our sincere condolences to
14 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
15 further

16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
17 presented to the family of Jr. Rudsell as an expression of our
18 deepest sympathy.