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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Albert J. "Big Al" Lampo Sr. of East 4 Moline, who passed away on May 6, 2018; and

WHEREAS, Albert Lampo was born in Moline to Alphons and Mary (DeBel) Lampo on October 14, 1924; he graduated from Union 7 Township High School in 1942 and joined the United States Navy in February of 1943; he served as a Fire Controlman 1st Class aboard the USS Gunason DE795 in both the Atlantic and South Pacific theaters; he was discharged in February of 1946; he 11 married Bernice May Lundeen on October 11, 1947; he married Vera Bahan on April 23, 1993; and

WHEREAS, Albert Lampo began working in the lathing trade; he then worked for Allied Construction for over 20 years, retiring in 1988; and

WHEREAS, Albert Lampo was a lifelong member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in East Moline until its closing; he was an avid reader of Tom Clancy, John Sanford, John Grisham, and the Daily Dispatch newspaper; he enjoyed traveling, crossword puzzles, drawing, woodwork, bowling, and gardening; he was affectionately known as "Bampo" to his grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Albert Lampo was preceded in death by his two
- wives; his parents; and his brother and best friend, Joseph;
- 3 and
- 4 WHEREAS, Albert Lampo is survived by his children, Albert
- 5 Jr., Denise Campagna, Beth Lampo, and Jerry Lampo; six
- 6 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; his brothers, Gerard
- and Edward; his sisters, Mary Ann Meincke, Anne Blomme, and
- 8 Theresa Challenger; and his special friend, Barb Michalek;
- 9 therefore, be it
- 10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 12 Albert J. "Big Al" Lampo Sr., and extend our sincere
- 13 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
- 14 him; and be it further
- 15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 16 presented to the family of Albert Lampo as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.