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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 Thomas Edward "Tom" Mulligan Jr., formerly of Bloomington, who passed away on July 8, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Tom Mulligan was born in Glen Ellyn to Mildred Patch and Thomas Edward Mulligan Sr. on March 27, 1927; he graduated from Glenbard High School and served in the U.S. Army from June of 1945 to November of 1946; he attended Albion College in Michigan and graduated from the University of Michigan in 1951 with an accounting degree; he married Alice Weaver Fairbank on July 26, 1952; and

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WHEREAS, Tom Mulligan was a certified public accountant and had a long career with FS Services (later Growmark); he moved to Bloomington with the company when it relocated its corporate headquarters and rose through the ranks, retiring as chief financial officer in 1986; and

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WHEREAS, Tom Mulligan was a member of the Second Presbyterian Church and served in the finance office and as a trustee; he was involved on various foundation boards, including the United Way of Bloomington-Normal and the Western Avenue Community Center; and

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1 WHEREAS, Tom Mulligan enjoyed golf and tennis throughout
2 much of his life and had four holes-in-one; he and Alice
3 enjoyed traveling and took their children to visit national
4 parks across the U.S.; they spent many winters in their Tucson
5 home and easily made friends; and

6 WHEREAS, Tom Mulligan loved being a grandparent and wanted
7 his family's bonds to endure, taking family trips and building
8 a family haven at Green Lake, Wisconsin in 1978; and

9 WHEREAS, Tom Mulligan is survived by his children, Jeannie
10 Mulligan (Jim) Swanson, Bill (Peggy) Mulligan, and Nancy
11 Mulligan (Kent) Anderson; his grandchildren, Carrie and
12 Michael (Falohn) Swanson, Melissa Swanson (Andy) Juvinall,
13 Katie, Danny, and Kelly Mulligan, Jenny Anderson (Brock)
14 Buttrick, and Brandt and David Anderson; his sister, Carolyn
15 (Phil) Guhl; and five great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
18 Thomas Edward "Tom" Mulligan Jr., and extend our sincere
19 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
20 him; and be it further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
22 presented to the family of Tom Mulligan as an expression of our

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1 deepest sympathy.