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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
- Representatives are pleased to recognize milestone events in
- 4 the lives of Illinois citizens; and
- 5 WHEREAS, It has come to our attention that William "Bill"
- 6 and Kay German will be celebrating their 70th wedding
- 7 anniversary on January 29, 2020; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Bill German was born on January 26, 1930; Kay
- 9 German was born on July 14, 1931; they married on January 29,
- 10 1950; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Bill German started his career in the insurance
- industry with his father-in-law, T.E. Murphy, at the Murphy
- 13 Agency in Princeville; he eventually became Chairman of the
- 14 Board of Princeville State Bank; he is active in the community
- through the Princeville Civic Association and has served on the
- 16 Peoria Zoning Board; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Bill and Kay German are active members of the
- 18 Princeville United Methodist Church; Kay is the church's
- 19 longest sustaining member; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Bill and Kay German have two daughters, Kathy

- 1 (Bill) Messersmith and Julie (Greg) Wilson, one grandson,
- 2 Andrew (Lesa) Black, three granddaughters, Beth (Nathan)
- 3 Kurtz, Kaelynn Wilson, and Rebecca Wilson, five
- 4 great-grandchildren, Matthew (Lauren) Black, Landon Kurtz,
- 5 Riley Kurtz, Melody Kurtz, and Madalee Wilson, and three
- 6 great-great-grandchildren, Addison Black, Samuel Black and
- 7 Charlotte Black; therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 9 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 10 we congratulate Bill and Kay German on the occasion of their
- 70th wedding anniversary and wish them continued happiness as
- they celebrate on September 7, 2019; and be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 14 presented to Bill and Kay German as an expression of our
- 15 esteem.