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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 Bonnie B. Hinrichsen of Peoria, who passed away on October 21, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Bonnie Hinrichsen was born in Charleston, South Carolina to George and Lillie Peeples Baker on June 2, 1944; she received her Bachelor of Science from the University of South Carolina, her Master of Science from the University of Illinois, and her Ph.D. from Southern Illinois University; she married Dave Hinrichsen on June 6, 1993; and

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WHEREAS, Bonnie Hinrichsen was Professor Emeritus in the Nursing Department at Bradley University, where she taught and inspired future nurses for 30 years, retiring in 2009; she was highly respected and admired; and

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WHEREAS, Bonnie Hinrichsen was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother; she and her husband enjoyed many wonderful years together playing golf, traveling, and taking daily walks; she had the warmth and kindness that made her house a "home"; and

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WHEREAS, Bonnie Hinrichsen was preceded in death by her parents; Grandma Bess Baker; and her son-in-law, Frank Perry; and

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1 WHEREAS, Bonnie Hinrichsen is survived by her husband,
2 Dave; her sister, Jo Anne (Dalton) Thompson; her nephews, Dal,
3 Rhett, and Doug; her daughters, Claire Perry, Ashley (Kevin)
4 Kinne, and Kellie (Jordan) Walker; her stepchildren, Jenette
5 (Lance) Brown, Jacob Hinrichsen, Jaclyn Hinrichsen, and Joseph
6 (Lynsi) Hinrichsen; and eight grandchildren; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
9 Bonnie B. Hinrichsen and extend our sincere condolences to her
10 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
13 presented to the family of Bonnie Hinrichsen as an expression
14 of our deepest sympathy.