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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 Jerry Harkins Jr. of Rock Island, who passed away on May 12, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Harkins was born to Jerry Harkins Sr. and Maurine Bredimus Harkins in Des Moines, Iowa on April 5, 1929; he served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War and received his undergraduate degree and Juris Doctorate degree from Kansas City University; Jerry married Rita Warren on July 29, 1974 in Rock Island; he was previously married to Dolores Kenning; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Harkins worked in the fields of banking, finance, and political consulting; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Harkins was was a member of the St. Patrick Society of the Quad Cities; he enjoyed playing golf and spent a lot of time doing so; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Harkins was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, Tom Harkins; and his grandson, Rev. Evan Harkins; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Harkins is survived by his wife, Rita; his children, Joe (Connie) Harkins, Pat (Allyson) Harkins, Luke

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1 Harkins, Mary (Don) Quinn, Katy (Mike) Urbik, Frank Harkins,
2 Mike (Sonya) Harkins, Danny (Sandi) Harkins, Molly Harkins, and
3 Jameson Harkins; his 34 grandchildren; his 17
4 great-grandchildren; his sister, Kay Gangel; and his
5 sister-in-law, Maria Harkins; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Jerry Harkins Jr. and extend our sincere condolences to his
9 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Jerry Harkins as an expression of
13 our deepest sympathy.