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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 Roger William Huddleston, who passed away on November 23, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Huddleston was born to Warren and Lillian Huddleston on May 17, 1947; he married his wonderful wife Margo on December 1, 1967; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Huddleston began his professional career as an inhalation therapist at Mercy Hospital; he was also a nursing-home administrator for five years, worked in the family business at Country Side Mobile Homes, sold insurance for Bankers Life and Foremost, worked as the general manager of Dream Homes, owned Roger Huddleston Homes, and served as a consultant for various businesses in the manufactured housing industry; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Huddleston was a member of the Sangamon Valley Christian Center; his passions led him to service in a variety of organizations, including the Illinois Manufactured Housing Association and the Mahomet Area Youth Club; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Huddleston had a commanding voice and became a gifted writer, using that voice; he enjoyed writing and used

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1 his talent to help to create legislation that ensured
2 affordable housing, as to write poetry and beautiful letters
3 for his family and friends; he was a lifelong fan of the
4 Fighting Illini and served as co-founder of the Honor the Chief
5 Society; he was a true people person and enjoyed the company of
6 others; and

7 WHEREAS, Roger Huddleston was preceded in death by his
8 parents; his sister, Susan Manierston; and his brother, David
9 Huddleston; and

10 WHEREAS, Roger Huddleston is survived by his wife of nearly
11 53 years, Margo; four sons, Matthew (Sonja), Burton (Meiby),
12 Joseph (Lauren) and Joshua; his daughter, Deborah Janczewski
13 (Jeff); his seven grandchildren; his three
14 great-grandchildren; his sister, Jean Huddleston; and his
15 brother, James Huddleston; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
18 Roger William Huddleston and extend our sincere condolences to
19 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
20 further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
22 presented to the family of Roger Huddleston as an expression of

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1 our deepest sympathy.