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## SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Pearl A. Schneider of Jacksonville, 4 who passed away on March 7, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Pearl Schneider was born in Columbia to Vernon 6 Valentine and Marcella Janson Schneider on April 13, 1948; she 7 graduated from Immaculate Conception Elementary School in 8 Columbia in 1962 and from SS. Peter & Paul High School in 9 Waterloo in 1966; she received her Bachelor of Science in 10 Education (Elementary/Special Education) from SIU-Edwardsville in 1975 and a Master of Science in Education 11 1987; she took classes for her 12 Ed.D. program in at SIU-Edwardsville in 1993; she lived in Pittsfield from 1974 to 13 14 1988 and settled in Jacksonville in 1989; and

15 WHEREAS, Pearl Schneider taught for the West Pike School District from 1975 to 1976 at New Canton and Hull and then for 16 17 Jacksonville School District 117 from 1976 to 2001 at Jacksonville Elementary School, Eisenhower Elementary School, 18 19 and Washington Elementary School as a Special Education 20 teacher; she served from 2001 to 2003 as an Assistant Special Education Director for the Jacksonville School District; from 21 22 2003 to 2010, she worked as a State Special Education Consultant and the Illinois Alternate Assessment Director for 23

SR0907 -2- LRB102 26702 MST 37542 r the Illinois State Board of Education; she retired on February 2 28, 2010; and

3 WHEREAS, Pearl Schneider was a member of the Church of Our 4 Saviour and the Pittsfield Theatre Guild from 1974 to 1988; 5 she served on the Routt School Board from 1999 to 2005 and the 6 Our Saviour School Board from 2010 to 2018; and

7 WHEREAS, Pearl Schneider is survived by supportive 8 neighbors and many friends, including Dennis and Pat Pope and 9 their children, Alex and Emily; therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL 11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 12 Pearl A. Schneider and extend our sincere condolences to her 13 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it 14 further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 16 presented to the friends of Pearl Schneider as an expression 17 of our deepest sympathy.