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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2	WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened
3	to learn of the death of David Bernard Menke of Moline, who
4	passed away on August 10, 2022; and
5	WHEREAS, David Menke was born to Christopher and Rose
6	(Pomberg) Menke in Houghton, Iowa on September 28, 1938; he
7	served in the U.S. Navy, where he was stationed in Alaska for
8	two years; he married Annette Davis in Fort Madison, Iowa on
9	September 25, 1960; and
10	WHEREAS, David Menke was a tool and die maker for several
11	area businesses, spending most of his career at the Rock
12	Island Arsenal; he retired in September 2000; and
13	WHEREAS, David Menke belonged to Calvary Lutheran Church,
14	the Horticulture Club, and the International Association of
15	Machinists and Aerospace Workers (IAM); he enjoyed collecting
16	and repairing cuckoo clocks; he also enjoyed woodworking and
17	refinishing; and
18	WHEREAS, David Menke was preceded in death by his parents

and his siblings, Mary Ellen Searcy, Clarence Menke, and

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Leonard Menke; and

- 1 WHEREAS, David Menke is survived by his wife, Annette; his
- 2 sons, Zack Menke and Tor (Terri) Menke; his grandchildren,
- 3 Jacqueline Menke, Colton Menke, and Raegan Menke; and his
- 4 sisters, Fran Beck and Ruth Stewart; therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL
- 6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 7 David Bernard Menke and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 8 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 9 further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to the family of David Menke as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.