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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Robert Elliott "Robbie" Cook of 4 Springfield, who passed away on October 1, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Robbie Cook was born in Alton to Bob and Ellen 6 Cook on August 16, 1968; he graduated from Glenwood High 7 School in 1986; and

8 WHEREAS, Robbie Cook worked for various agencies of the 9 State of Illinois, including the EPA, the Department of Health 10 Human Services, the Department of Revenue, and the & Department of Economic Opportunity; during the evening, he 11 12 worked as DJ Razor on WQLZ; he also DJ'd a Sunday night radio 13 show that highlighted Central Illinois rock bands; he was 14 always on the cutting edge in music, and some of his favorite bands included, Metallica, Nirvana, and the Smashing Pumpkins, 15 bands he enjoyed before they become popular; and 16

WHEREAS, Robbie Cook's other jobs included photographing models and weddings and promoting concerts and other events; he was very artistic and became a self-taught website developer for WQLZ, WTAX, various modeling agencies, and other companies; and

SR1234 -2-LRB102 29265 MST 41222 r WHEREAS, Robbie Cook loved music and enjoyed attending 1 2 concerts, researching rock music bands and its members, riding 3 his motorcycle, exploring YouTube for educational material, reading, watching AEW wrestling, and taking care of his rose 4 5 garden; he had a boundless imagination, an adventurous spirit, and a deep enjoyment for life and the people he met along his 6 7 way; and

8 WHEREAS, Robbie Cook was preceded in death his 9 grandparents, Henry and Nora Cook, Maxine Elliot Tucker, and 10 Jesse Willard Tucker; his uncles, Bill (Peggy), Bud, Bennie, 11 and Barney; and his aunts, Bonnie and Patty Jo; and

12 WHEREAS, Robbie Cook is survived by his parents; his 13 brother, Thomas (Tanja) Lagisse; his niece, Emma; his uncles, 14 Bertis (Becky) Cook and Ronnie Malcom; his aunts, Mary (Ed) 15 Pomatto, Cindy (Kevin) Carman, and Dottie Cook; his 16 great-aunt, Lilly Pauline Pennell; and his cousins, Sean, 17 Billie Jo, Tara, Penny, Nickie, April, Jennifer, Courtney, 18 Andrew, Nicholas, and Nathan; therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL 20 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 21 Robert Elliott "Robbie" Cook and extend our sincere 22 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved 23 him; and be it further SR1234 -3- LRB102 29265 MST 41222 r

1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 2 presented to the family of Robbie Cook as an expression of our 3 deepest sympathy.