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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Robert M. "Bob" Loter of Hamilton, who 4 passed away on February 14, 2023; and

5 WHEREAS, Bob Loter was born to George W. and Cathrine E.
6 (Leeper) Loter in Keokuk, Iowa on December 6, 1938; he
7 graduated from Warsaw High School in 1956; he served in the
8 U.S. Army in California and Korea, and he was honorably
9 discharged in February 1959; he married Judith A. (Frakes)
10 Davis on November 4, 1960; and

WHEREAS, After returning home, Bob Loter worked at the Warsaw Battery Factory and Keokuk Electric Metals; he was employed by General Mills in Keokuk in 1966; he retired from Ogilvie Mills in 1985; he went to work for Dallas City and Keokuk Homestore Lumber Yards, retiring in 2009; he also delivered the Daily Gate City Newspaper in Warsaw for over six years; and

WHEREAS, Growing up, Bob Loter was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Warsaw, where he served as an altar boy for six years; at the time of his passing, he was an active member of the Church of All Saints in Keokuk; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Bob Loter enjoyed roller skating and riding his
- 2 bike; he was known for his carpentry skills, and he made
- 3 several pieces of furniture for his older granddaughters; and
- WHEREAS, Bob Loter was preceded in death by his parents;
- 5 his brother, Richard Loter; his sister, Patricia Loter; and
- 6 his brother in infancy; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Bob Loter is survived by his wife of 63 years,
- 8 Judith; his daughters, Jackie Householder and Leisa (Jerry)
- 9 McCredie; his son, Todd W. Loter; his nine grandchildren; his
- 10 18 great-grandchildren; his three great-great-grandchildren,
- 11 with two on the way; and his sister, Sharon Loter; therefore,
- 12 be it
- 13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
- 14 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 15 Robert M. "Bob" Loter and extend our sincere condolences to
- 16 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 17 further
- 18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 19 presented to the family of Bob Loter as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.