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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
- 3 learn of the death of William F. "Bill" Bort of Carlinville,
- 4 who passed away on May 13, 2009; and
- 5 WHEREAS, William F. "Bill" Bort was born June 7, 1967, in
- 6 Alton, the son of Bruce and Irene (Campbell) Bort; he married
- 7 Mary Lewey in East Alton on August 25, 1989, at St. Kevin's
- 8 Catholic Church; and
- 9 WHEREAS, After college he became a radio announcer for WSMI
- in Carlinville, working there until 1990; he then started his
- 11 career in law enforcement with the Macoupin County Sheriff's
- Department; he also worked for the Bunker Hill, Brighton, and
- 13 Carlinville police departments; and
- 14 WHEREAS, He and his wife ran Music Tracks DJ service from
- 15 1989 to 2007; he was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church and
- 16 the Carlinville Elks Lodge #1412, where he was a past trustee;
- 17 and
- 18 WHEREAS, He was preceded in death by his infant brother,
- 19 Bruce Christopher Bort; and
- 20 WHEREAS, William Bort is survived by his wife, Mary; his

- daughter, Kasie C. Bort; his son, Kyle W. Bort; his parents,
- 2 Bruce and Irene Bort; his sisters, Barbara A. Bort and Jaime
- 3 Kraut (Andrew); his nephew; and his nieces; therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL
- 5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
- 6 his family and friends, the passing of William F. "Bill" Bort;
- 7 and be it further
- 8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 9 presented to the family of William F. "Bill" Bort as a symbol
- of our sincere sympathy.