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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Thelma June Matson of Lincoln, who passed 4 away on November 28, 2010; and 5 WHEREAS, Thelma Matson was born on June 4, 1933, at 6 Burtonview; she was the daughter of Frederick and Wilhelmina 7 Engelhorn Wiggers, Sr.; she married John William Matson on 8 November 22, 1953, in Lincoln; and 9 WHEREAS, Thelma Matson served as head cook at Chester-East 10 Lincoln School and St. Clara's Manor in dietary until her 11 retirement; and 12 WHEREAS, Thelma Matson was a member of First United 13 Methodist Church of Lincoln and the VFW Auxiliary; and 14 WHEREAS, Thelma Matson was preceded in death by her 15 parents; her sisters, Mildred Johnson and Eileen; and her brothers, Frederick Jr., Kendall, and Marvin Wiggers; and 16 17 WHEREAS, Thelma Matson is survived by her husband; her 18 sons, Roger (Julie) Matson, Rodney (Tammy) Matson, and Randy 19 (Ann) Matson; her daughters, Pamela (Rex) Mallekoote, Valerie 20 (Dave) Huffman, and Rebecca (Mike) Geskey; her brother, Milton

- 1 Wiggers; her sister, Katharina Goldhammer; her 14
- 2 grandchildren; and her 14 great grandchildren; therefore, be it
- 3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL
- 4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
- 5 her family and friends, the passing of Thelma June Matson; and
- 6 be it further
- 7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 8 presented to the family of Thelma Matson as an expression of
- 9 our sympathy.