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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are deeply  
3 saddened to learn of the death of Janet M. Cesar of Waukegan,  
4 who passed away on September 22, 2012; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Cesar grew up in Chicago and attended St.  
6 Priscilla School and Notre Dame High School for Girls; she  
7 received a bachelor's of science degree in international  
8 business and language from St. Norbert College, where she met  
9 her husband, Bob, with whom she had two children, Jessica and  
10 Daniel; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Cesar began her career in business before  
12 finding her real passion, teaching children; she earned a  
13 master's degree in teaching from National Lewis University and  
14 was a teacher at Greenwood Elementary for 18 years; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Cesar was active in the community as a CCD  
16 teacher, girl scout leader, school board member, and a  
17 eucharistic minister at St. Anastasia Parish and volunteered  
18 her talents for many years in the Waukegan Room at Carmel  
19 Catholic High School Street Scenes; and

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WHEREAS, Janet Cesar loved the outdoors; she spent summers  
21 at her cabin in upper Michigan, kayaking, fishing, and making

1 many new friends; and

2 WHEREAS, Janet Cesar is survived by her husband of 35  
3 years, Bob; her children Jessica and Daniel; her sisters,  
4 Kathryn (Anthony) Calabrese and Mary Nyland; her brothers, John  
5 Gastaldello and Ray Gastaldello; and numerous aunts,  
6 sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, cousins, and  
7 friends; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL  
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
10 Janet Cesar, and we extend our sincere condolences to her  
11 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it  
12 further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
14 presented to the family of Janet Cesar as an expression of our  
15 deepest sympathy.