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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of James Henry Hollins, Sr. of Joliet, who passed away on January 5, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, James Hollins, Sr. was born on August 15, 1928 in Pinola, Mississippi to William and Naomi Hollins; he served his country in the United States Marines for 23 years; he fought in 2 wars and received numerous medals and accolades; and

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WHEREAS, James Hollins, Sr. was retired from EJ & E Railroad, where he was in marketing analysis for many years; in retirement, he established Hollins Tax & Accounting which he operated for 33 years in the Joliet area; he retired in 2004; and

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WHEREAS, James Hollins, Sr. was preceded in death by his wife, Annie Credle Hollins; his sons, Johnnie Smith and James Albert Heath; and his grandson, Malcolm Kent Tramel; and

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WHEREAS, James Hollins, Sr. is survived by his children, Jackie (Skip) Lee, Debra (Errie) Perrie, and James H. Hollins, Jr.; his 5 sisters; his 2 brothers; and a host of grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
3 James Henry Hollins, Sr., and extend our sincere condolences to
4 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
5 further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the family of James Hollins, Sr. as an expression
8 of our deepest sympathy.