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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 Hellmut R. Ross of Harvard, who passed away on July 20, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, Hellmut Ross was born in Germany on September 2, 1936 to Alfred R. and Frieda (nee Toeppich) Ross; he married Wanda M. Dickson on June 19, 2004; and

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WHEREAS, Hellmut Ross retired as President of Arno Rouse USA in 2010; and

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WHEREAS, Hellmut Ross was an avid fan of the Green Bay Packers, NASCAR, and the Chicago Blackhawks; he field trained and showed English Springer Spaniels, and enjoyed photography and hunting and fishing with his friends; and

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WHEREAS, Hellmut Ross was preceded in death by his parents, and by one brother; and

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WHEREAS, Hellmut Ross is survived by his wife, Wanda Ross; children, Michelle (Michael) Terwilliger and April Bishop; 4 grandchildren, Emma and Olivia Terwilliger and Caitlin and Collin Field; sister, Hilde (Herbert) Kuband; sisters-in-law, Mary Baker and Loretta Ohlson; and brothers-in-law, Allan

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1 LaPlante and Ronald (Janet) Dickison; therefore, be it

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

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Hellmut Ross as an expression of our
9 deepest sympathy.