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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3 learn of the death of Ruth (nee Kelley) Bertels of Oak Park,
4 who passed away on May 31, 2014; and

5 WHEREAS, During her teaching career, Ruth Bertels taught
6 every grade in grammar school as well as high school; and

7 WHEREAS, Ruth Bertels was a member of St. Edmund Parish in
8 Oak Park; she had her own webpage and wrote a weekly column,
9 "Take Five", as well as a column for the Archdiocesan newspaper
10 in Wisconsin; and

11 WHEREAS, Ruth Bertels was preceded in death by Mary Kelley,
12 Kitty Price, and Tim Kelley; and

13 WHEREAS, Ruth Bertels is survived by her sister, Fran
14 Roach; therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
16 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
17 Ruth Bertels, and extend our sincere condolences to her family,
18 friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it further

19 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

1 presented to the family of Ruth Bertels as an expression of our
2 deepest sympathy.