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Andrew Walter; and

1 SENATE RESOLUTION WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Michael Alan Barrett of Alton, who passed 4 away on November 22, 2014; and 5 WHEREAS, Michael Barrett was born in Alton on September 13, 6 1956 to John J., Sr. and Theresa (nee McConnell) Barrett; he 7 graduated from Western Illinois University in 1978; and 8 WHEREAS, After college, Michael Barrett began working at 9 Barrett Heating & Cooling, Inc., eventually becoming president 10 of the family business; and 11 WHEREAS, Michael Barrett was a past member of the advisory 12 board of Ranken Technical College in St. Louis, Missouri; he 13 was a member of SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Collinsville, a proud member of Alton Knights of Columbus 14 Council 460, and an emphatic St. Louis Cardinals baseball fan; 15 16 he loved to bowl on the Knights of Columbus bowling team, and enjoyed golfing and boating; and 17 18 WHEREAS, Michael Barrett was preceded in death by his parents; his brother-in-law, Steve Greeling; and his nephew, 19

- 1 WHEREAS, Michael Barrett is survived by his wife, Linda Lea
- 2 (nee Day); his daughter, Emily Barrett; his son, Thomas
- 3 Barrett; his 3 brothers, John J. Barrett, Jr. (Maria), Patrick
- 4 L. Barrett (Frances), and Joseph M. Barrett (Nancy); and his 4
- 5 sisters, Becky Suhre (Paul), Cathy Greeling, Theresa Kates
- 6 (Bruce), and Chris Walters (Mike); therefore, be it
- 7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
- 8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 9 Michael Alan Barrett, and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 10 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 11 further
- 12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Michael Barrett as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.