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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Janette
4 Weatherall, who passed away on May 11, 2015; and

5 WHEREAS, Janette Weatherall was born in St. Louis, Missouri
6 on April 19, 1954 to Jim and Doris Weatherall; she lived and
7 was educated in East St. Louis; she graduated with a bachelor's
8 degree in anthropology and sociology from McKendree College and
9 later participated in the Harvard Trade Program; and

10 WHEREAS, In 1989, Janette Weatherall relocated to
11 Springfield to pursue an employment opportunity with AFSCME
12 Local 2000, where she was a Field Staff
13 Representative/Lobbyist/Co-Political Action Director; prior to
14 that she worked for the Department of Public Aid as a
15 caseworker; on December 13, 1993, her career as a Legislative
16 Government Relations Consultant began with the Illinois
17 Education Association, where she served 20 years before
18 retiring in 2013; she had a passion for health and wellness and
19 enjoyed sharing and teaching the benefits of healthy living
20 through her work as an Independent Distributor with Young
21 Living Essential Oils; and

22 WHEREAS, Janette Weatherall was very passionate about

1 serving in her church (Cathedral of Praise), health, education,
2 and spending time with her family; and

3 WHEREAS, Janette Weatherall was preceded in death by her
4 parents; her brother; and her sister; and

5 WHEREAS, Janette Weatherall is survived by her daughter,
6 Fatina (Juan) Conway; her 5 sisters, Annie (Eddie) Jumper, Mary
7 Helen Walker, Minnie Mclemore, Christine (Arthur) Francis, and
8 Myra (Mark) Hunter; her brother, Sylvester (Aletha)
9 Weatherall; her uncle, Herbert (Mary Frances) Weatherall; her 8
10 grandchildren, Janee (Brandon) O'Bryant, Isaiah Conway,
11 Jeremiah Conway, Darryn Conway, Damon Conway, Danae Conway,
12 Danielle Conway, and Daniel Conway; her 2 great-grandchildren,
13 Serenity and Christian O'Bryant; her god-son, Casey Collier;
14 her best friend, Lonnie Grant; and a host of nephews, nieces,
15 and friends; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
17 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
18 mourn the passing of Jeanette Weatherall, and extend our
19 sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew
20 and loved her; and be it further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
22 presented to the family of Janette Weatherall as an expression

1 of our deepest sympathy.