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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Paul Eugene Kroenlein of Moweaqua, who 4 passed away on June 13, 2015; and 5 WHEREAS, Paul Kroenlein was born on May 19, 1920 in Oconee;

his parents were George Nicholas and Bertha Della (nee Tabor)

Kroenlein; he married Marietta Buckley in 1940 in St. Louis,

Missouri; she preceded him in death in 1963; he later married

LaVon Robinson-Burgener in 1972; and

10 WHEREAS, Paul Kroenlein was a member of the First United
11 Methodist Church of Moweaqua, Masonic Lodge 180 A.F. & A.M.,
12 the Springfield Consistory, and the Ansar Shriners; he was also
13 a Past Worthy Patron of the Eastern Star; and

WHEREAS, Paul Kroenlein served as Shelby County Supervisor and was a member of the County Board; he also served as a member of the Moweaqua Elevator Board and as Penn Township Supervisor; and

WHEREAS, Paul Kroenlein was a farmer and pilot; he was also co-owner of FBAC Go-Kart Track and was the first Kawasaki dealer in the downstate area; and

1 WHEREAS, Paul Kroenlein was preceding in death by his

- 2 parents and his first wife, Marietta; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Paul Kroenlein is survived by his wife, LaVon; a
- 4 son, Don (Linda) Kroenlein; 2 step-sons: Larry (Sandy) Burgener
- 5 and Mike (Diane) Burgener; 5 grandchildren, Rodney Kroenlein,
- 6 Andrea Kroenlein, Adam Burgener, Kelly Gregory, and Leann
- 7 Estrada; and 7 great-grandchildren; therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
- 9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his
- 10 family and friends, mourn the passing of Paul Eugene Kroenlein;
- 11 and be it further
- 12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Paul Kroenlein as an expression of
- our sympathy.