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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 Nancy McKillen of Waukegan, who passed away on November 27, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Nancy McKillen was born in Galesburg on September 17, 1935 to George and Dorothy (nee Woolsey) Bruce; she graduated from Hampshire High School and attended Northern Illinois University, eventually completing her degree in education at Carthage College 30 years later after raising her family; and

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WHEREAS, Nancy McKillen taught at Mother of God grade school in Waukegan and its successor, Lake Shore Catholic Academy, for over 35 years; she loved children of all ages and was proud to have taught many different grades during her career, as well as music and physical education; during the 1970s and 80s, she also owned and managed Barro's Pizza on Grand Avenue in Waukegan; and

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WHEREAS, Nancy McKillen enjoyed spending time with her family and friends, babysitting her grandkids, crossword puzzles, and watching the Chicago Bears, Cubs, and Bulls; and

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WHEREAS, Nancy McKillen was preceded in death by her

1 parents; and

2 WHEREAS, Nancy McKillen is survived by her brothers, Bob
3 (Virginia) Bruce and James (Judy) Bruce; her 3 children,
4 Patrick (Diane) McKillen, Beth McKillen (Nathan Godfried), and
5 Mike McKillen; her 5 grandchildren; and her 3
6 great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
9 Nancy McKillen, and extend our sincere condolences to her
10 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
13 presented to the family of Nancy McKillen as an expression of
14 our deepest sympathy.