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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 Loretta Bobrowski-Block, who passed away on March 31, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Loretta Bobrowski-Block was born in Sand Rock (Hurley), Wisconsin on June 3, 1922; and

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WHEREAS, After graduating high school at age 17, Loretta Bobrowski-Block moved in with her sister in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to find work; they then moved to Chicago, where she worked as a waitress and did office work; she married Bill Bobrowski, a United States Navy sailor with whom she had been corresponding during World War II, in 1946; she and her husband opened a grocery business; she later married Albert Block; and

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WHEREAS, Loretta Bobrowski-Block worked as a medical transcriptionist at the Naval Hospital in Great Lakes; she retired in 1988; and

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WHEREAS, Loretta Bobrowski-Block enjoyed spending time with her immediate family and very dear friend, Mary Pfahl; she always enjoyed being hostess; her coffee pot was always ready along with lots of cookies; and

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1 WHEREAS, Loretta Bobrowski-Block was preceded in death by
2 her second husband, Albert; and

3 WHEREAS, Loretta Bobrowski-Block is survived by her
4 daughter, Alexis (Gerald) Pedrin; her grandson, David (Holly)
5 Pedrin; her son, Bill (Cindy) Bobrowski; her
6 step-granddaughter, Stacy (Jeremy) Letkey; her stepson, Albert
7 Block; a "special son" Ted (Sherrie Love) Corelewski; and
8 several nieces and nephews all across the country; therefore,
9 be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
12 Loretta Bobrowski-Block, and extend our sincere condolences to
13 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
14 further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
16 presented to the family of Loretta Bobrowski-Block as an
17 expression of our deepest sympathy.