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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 Verniece Lindsay, who passed away on May 14, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Verniece Lindsay was born in Halsell, Alabama to Chester and Sallie Oliver on May 1, 1947; her family moved to Chicago Heights and joined Union Evangelistic Baptist Church; she attended Governors State University, where she received a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, a master's degree in education and a second master's degree in educational administration; she married Henry Lindsay; and

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WHEREAS, Verniece Lindsay had a career as an educator in the Illinois Public School System, where she positively impacted students, parents, and co-workers; and

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WHEREAS, Verniece Lindsay valued family and friends immensely and forged a special mother-son relationship with Terron Allen; and

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WHEREAS, Verniece Lindsay was preceded in death by her parents and her sisters, Otis Mae Allen and Henrianna Allen-McGrew; and

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1 WHEREAS, Verniece Lindsay is survived by her daughter,
2 Stephania; her sons, Jimmie and Terron (Alvia); her brothers,
3 Rufus (Marlene) and Arthur (Mary); her loving grandson, Steven
4 (Devon); five great-grandchildren; her spiritual sisters,
5 Willie, Abigail, and Arva; a devoted great-niece, Tia; and a
6 host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; 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 Verniece Lindsay, 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 Verniece Lindsay as an expression of
14 our deepest sympathy.