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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 Richard "Rick" Bisterfeldt, who passed away on September 22, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Bisterfeldt was born on August 28, 1954 in Melrose Park; his parents were Richard Sr. and Ruth Bisterfeldt; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Bisterfeldt graduated from West Chicago High School; he received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Industrial Engineering from Illinois State University in 1972; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Bisterfeldt was a fire protection engineer for many years; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Bisterfeldt was an avid golfer, a motorcycle enthusiast, a Chicago sports loyalist, and a jack-of-all-trades; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Bisterfeldt was preceded in death by his parents; and

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WHEREAS, Richard Bisterfeldt is survived by his wife, Joan;

1 his children, David (Tracy) Bisterfeldt and Dawn (Jason)  
2 Brooks; his sisters, Linda Jenkins and Gail (Tom) Kennedy; and  
3 his grandchildren, Harper, Deacon, Taylor, MacKenzie, Connor,  
4 Kailey, and Kennedy; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL  
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his  
7 family and friends, mourn the passing of Richard "Rick"  
8 Bisterfeldt; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
10 presented to the family of Richard Bisterfeldt as an expression  
11 of our sympathy.