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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 James Stilling of McHenry, who passed away on September 26, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, James Stilling was born in Johnsburg to Benjamin and Christina (Meyer) Stilling on December 6, 1926; he married Catherine Sullivan in Wonder Lake on November 12, 1949; he served in the United States Army during World War II from 1945 to 1947; and

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WHEREAS, James Stilling worked as a carpenter for George Hiller and Son for 45 years; and

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WHEREAS, James Stilling enjoyed playing golf and was a Cub Scout leader for 10 years; his most precious times were those he spent with his family; and

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WHEREAS, James Stilling was preceded in death by his grandson, Andrew; his brothers, Raymond, Elmer, Clarence, and Daniel; and his sisters, Rita, Violet, and Lucile; and

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WHEREAS, James Stilling is survived by his wife of 67 years, Catherine; his children, James Jr. (Audrey), David (Gina), Kevin, and Thomas; his grandchildren, Joanne (Mike)

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1 Skibbe, Toby (Linda), Bridget (Lukasz Rozpadek), Jessica
2 (Adam), Jeremy, and Mike; his great-grandchildren, Brenden,
3 Alex, Ben, Lizzie, Nat, Maggie, Addison, and Jackie; his
4 sister, Carol Thompson; and many nieces and nephews; therefore,
5 be it

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

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of James Stilling as an expression of
13 our deepest sympathy.