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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 Clifford W. M. Leegard of Wonder Lake, who passed away on October 18, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Clifford Leegard was born in Fort Wayne, Indiana to Clifford W. and Grace (Petrich) Leegard on July 24, 1946; he attended college and married Lynn Thompson in Fergus Falls, Minnesota on August 12, 1967; he later enlisted in the United States Air Force and proudly served his country as a Sergeant for six years; and

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WHEREAS, Clifford Leegard lived in Lenexa, Kansas before moving to Wonder Lake, where he went to work for BNSF Railroad as a signal designer; and

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WHEREAS, Clifford Leegard was a member of the Master Property Owners Association of Wonder Lake; he was a member of the Wonder Lake Yacht Club and was a supporter of the Wonder Lake Ski Team; he earned the rank of Life in Boy Scouts and was an avid boater; he enjoyed adopting retired greyhound dogs and was known in his subdivision as someone who could be called upon when help was needed; he was always helping others and gave the gift of life through tissue donation to Gift of Hope; and

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1 WHEREAS, Clifford Leegard was preceded in death by his
2 parents and his brother-in-law, Robert; and

3 WHEREAS, Clifford Leegard is survived by his wife, Lynn;
4 his sons, Jon (Claire), and Roger (Nicole) Leegard; his
5 grandchildren, Lauren, Ethan, Nolan, Emma, Audrey, and
6 Corinne; and his sisters, Sharon (Pete) Buresh, and Suzanne
7 Ansley; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
10 Clifford W. M. Leegard, and extend our sincere condolences to
11 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
12 further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to the family of Clifford Leegard as an expression of
15 our deepest sympathy.