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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Dorothy Jane Bellm of Carlinville, who 4 passed away on December 19, 2016; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Dorothy Bellm was born in Virden to Leonard and 6 Sadie (Broderick) Moore on November 2, 1925; she graduated from 7 Virden High School and married John J. Bellm in Carlinville on 8 September 7, 1957; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Dorothy Bellm worked at the Illinois State Capitol 10 for 20 years; she was active in politics and met John F. 11 Kennedy during his campaign stop in Springfield; and
- WHEREAS, Dorothy Bellm was very devoted to her family; she
 was a member of Ss. Mary & Joseph Catholic Church in
 Carlinville; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Dorothy Bellm was preceded in death by her 16 parents; her son, Gary Wayne Wrightsman; two sisters; and two 17 brothers; and
- WHEREAS, Dorothy Bellm is survived by her husband, John;

 her son, Bradley (Mary Beth) Bellm; her daughter, Beth Ann

 (Kelly) Schmidt; and her grandchildren, Conner and Katie

- 1 Schmidt, Jessica Bellm, and Maddison and Alicia Bellm;
- 2 therefore, be it
- 3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
- 4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 5 Dorothy Jane Bellm, and extend our sincere condolences to her
- family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
- 7 further
- 8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 9 presented to the family of Dorothy Bellm as an expression of
- 10 our deepest sympathy.