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1 SENATE RESOLUTION WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Edna E. Cannon of Alton, who passed away 4 on January 31, 2017; and 5 WHEREAS, Edna Cannon was born to David E. and Nora L. 6 (Hawkins) Keen on July 2, 1921; she married Ellison W. Cannon 7 on June 2, 1946; and WHEREAS, Edna Cannon was employed by the Alton Public 8 9 School System, the Duncan Family, and Monticello College in Godfrey; and 10 11 WHEREAS, Edna Cannon was a member of the Lincoln Douglas 12 Banquet Board, and a longtime member of the Busy Fingers Sewing 13 Club; she was a member of Model Chapel AME Church, now Trinity AME Church; and 14 15 WHEREAS, Edna Cannon was preceded in death by her husband, Ellison; her parents; an infant son, Ellison Jr.; and her 16 17 sisters and brothers, Nora Mae Keen, William L. Keen, David Keen, and Stella Keen-Johnson; and 18 19 WHEREAS, Edna Cannon is survived by her sons, David Cannon,

Dennis Cannon, and Larry Cannon; her grandson, Joshua Cannon;

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- 1 her great-grandchildren, Kalea, Jaylynn, Kira, Ella, Lynnea,
- 2 and Lillyanna Cannon; and a host of nieces, nephews, and
- 3 relatives; therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 6 Edna E. Cannon, and extend our sincere condolences to her
- 7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
- 8 further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 10 presented to the family of Edna Cannon as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.