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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 Chloe Arloine Trautman of Champaign, who passed away on April 6, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Chloe Trautman was born in Urbana to David W. "Bud" and Benita "Bee" (Schulz) Reichard on June 30, 1927; she graduated from Urbana High School in 1945 and attended the Illinois Commercial Business College and the University of Illinois; she married J.M. "Mike" Trautman in 1956; and

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WHEREAS, Chloe Trautman had a bookkeeping/accounting practice for many years and established her own income tax preparation business called the Tax Shop in 1967; she loved seeing her customers and reminiscing about their lives and preparing taxes every season into her 88th year; and

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WHEREAS, Chloe Trautman would go swimming or ride her stationary bicycle every day; she enjoyed golfing for many years with her friends at the Champaign Country Club; she was an American Contract Bridge League Gold Life Master bridge player and authored a book about her passion and taught bridge for many years at the Urbana High Adult Education school; she enjoyed playing bridge online with the likes of Omar Sharif and many others around the world; her children were her joy in

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1 life, and she generously gave them all she could to set them on
2 the right path for the future; and

3 WHEREAS, Chloe Trautman loved ice skating with her father
4 and loved driving friends and family on outings and trips in
5 her motorhome; she would often vacation at her part-time home
6 in Sarasota with her girlfriends; and

7 WHEREAS, Chloe Trautman was preceded in death by her
8 parents; her sister, Arloine; and her brother, David Reichard;
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10 WHEREAS, Chloe Trautman is survived by her husband, Mike;
11 her children, Dr. Michael (Jolie) Trautman, Phil Trautman,
12 David (Karen) Trautman, Charles Trautman, Michelle Trautman,
13 and Babette (Rick) Paige; her grandchildren, P.J. Trautman,
14 Jake Trautman, Chloe Trautman, Joshua Paige, and Reece Paige;
15 therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
18 Chloe Arloine Trautman and extend our sincere condolences to
19 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
20 further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

1 presented to the family of Chloe Trautman as an expression of
2 our deepest sympathy.