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1 SENATE RESOLUTION WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 3 learn of the death of Benedetto T. "Ben" Sorci of Crystal Lake, 4 who passed away on November 13, 2017; and 5 WHEREAS, Benedetto Sorci was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin 6 to Ioppolito and Maria (D'Amato) Sorci on June 15, 1919; he 7 served in the United States Army during World War II in the 8 Pacific Theater with the 2nd Engineers Special Brigade 9 Amphibious; and 10 WHEREAS, Benedetto Sorci retired from the Teletype 11 Corporation after 35 years of employment; he was a member of 12 the Telephone Pioneers of America; and 13 WHEREAS, Benedetto Sorci was a past member of the Knights of Columbus and a member of Saints Peter and Paul Catholic 14 15 Church in Cary; and WHEREAS, Benedetto Sorci was preceded in death by his wife 16 17 of 66 years, Irene (Poweziak) Sorci; his parents; and his brother, Jay Sorci; and 18 19 WHEREAS, Benedetto Sorci is survived by his children, Sandy

(Sam) Marino, Dale (Diana), Paul (Gail), and Roland Sorci; his

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- 1 grandchildren, April, Michael, Brian, Justin, Ian, Roxanne,
- 2 Dante, and Ariana; and six great-grandchildren; therefore, be
- 3 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 Benedetto T. "Ben" Sorci, and extend our sincere condolences to
- 7 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 8 further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 10 presented to the family of Benedetto Sorci as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.