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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 Howard William Myers of Lakewood, who passed away on November 23, 2017; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Myers was born in Brooklyn, New York on September 21, 1943; he attended the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute and graduated from the University of Missouri-Rolla with a Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics; he earned his Master of Science in Systems Engineering from Northeastern University in Boston; he married Sharon Ruth Stene in Elgin on June 4, 1966; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Myers was a systems software engineer for many companies including Boeing, Motorola, Berkline, and the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago; he loved to teach and was a professor of computer science at Judson College for nearly a decade and chairman of the computer science department; and

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WHEREAS, In retirement, Howard Myers enjoyed working with his son, Andy, at Acorn Landscape and visiting his son, Arvy, in Washington, D.C.; he was an avid photographer, bird watcher, and Chicago Cubs fan; he loved attending his granddaughter Lily's hockey games and building birdhouses with his grandson, Oakly; and

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1 WHEREAS, Howard Myers is survived by his wife of over 51
2 years, Sharon; his sons, Howard Arvin "Arvy" (Kimberley) Myers
3 and Andrew Carter (Jenny) Myers; his grandchildren, Lillian
4 Helen and Oakly Carter Myers; and his brother-in-law, Dennis
5 Carter (Carol) Stene; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Howard William Myers, and extend our sincere condolences to his
9 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Howard Myers as an expression of our
13 deepest sympathy.