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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 Dorothy L. Taylor of Peoria, who passed away on November 1, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Dorothy Taylor was born in Luxora, Arkansas to Robert and Ilar (Jenkins) Bonds on August 18, 1950; and

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WHEREAS, Dorothy Taylor worked in code enforcement for the City of Peoria for over 40 years before retiring in 2012; and

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WHEREAS, Dorothy Taylor was a member of St. Paul Baptist Church in Peoria, where she sang and ministered with Women of Courage; along with her love of singing, she enjoyed dancing and spending time with her family and friends, especially her children and grandchildren; and

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WHEREAS, Dorothy Taylor was preceded in death by her father; her son, Ernest Taylor Jr.; and her brothers, Edward Dean Bonds and Willie Bonds Jr.; and

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WHEREAS, Dorothy Taylor is survived by her mother, Ilar Bonds; her daughters, Ebonie Kelly and Yolonda Taylor; 14 brothers and sisters; six grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and numerous nephews and nieces;

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1 therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
4 Dorothy L. Taylor and extend our sincere condolences to her
5 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
6 further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Dorothy Taylor as an expression of
9 our deepest sympathy.