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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The Illinois Senate is saddened to learn of the passing of Lindsey Everett Allen Jr. of Carterville, who passed away on January 15, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Everett Allen was born to Lindsey Everett and LaVeta Lilian (Bowman) Allen in Beardstown on October 8, 1935; he married Cathy Dianne Larsen in Las Vegas on July 12, 1993; and

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WHEREAS, In his earlier years, Everett Allen was a talented sportsman; he won a track meet "by a nose", played a six-man game of football and scored seven touchdowns, and scored 12 points at a 1953 Harlem Globetrotter basketball game; and

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WHEREAS, Everett Allen began working at the Carbondale "Fina" Gas Station in 1962; later, he took a job in Mason County, working for the government clearing forests; he also worked as a barge hand on the "Harriet Ann", a tow boat, up until his time in the service; after honorably serving our country in the United States Army, Everett purchased a dump truck and began a trash route in Carterville; the business eventually grew, thriving in southern Illinois, Missouri, and Kentucky and employing over 90 workers.; and

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1 WHEREAS, Everett Allen was fondly referred to as " Papa Ice
2 Cream Man" by many families and kids during summers spent pool
3 side; he liked to help local kids by purchasing their class
4 rings and letter jackets and was also an avid NASCAR fan who
5 followed the circuit for many years; and

6 WHEREAS, Everett Allen was preceded in death by his
7 parents, Lindsey Everett and LaVeta Lilian (Bowman) Allen; his
8 daughter, Cynthia (Ronnie) Weihl; and his brother, Carl Allen;
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10 WHEREAS, Everett Allen is survived by his loving wife of 27
11 years, Cathy Allen; his daughters, Debbie Allen Murphy and
12 Bertie Moore; his son, Jeff (Jacinta) Alstat; his
13 grandchildren, Ryan (Beth) Brooks, John (Erin) Patterson, Kody
14 Boyd, Josh (Emily) Alstat, Andrew Alstat, Brooke Schimdgal,
15 Bridget Buffington, Daltun Hasty, Lyndsay Timmons, Allie
16 (Jimmy) Hartwick-Pearsley, and Delaynie Dearmond; his 15
17 great-grandchildren; his brothers, Bob (Linda) Allen and Roger
18 Allen; his sister, Maxine (Walt) Ball; his nephew, Brad
19 (Jeanie) Allen; his nieces, Becki Allen, Rachel Allen, Michelle
20 Garvey, and Ashley (Nick) Bigler; and his many dear friends,
21 including Steve Hess, George (Connie) Calhoun, Keith (Barbara)
22 Boze, Bill Hasty, and Frank (Donna) Gunderson; therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL

1 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
2 Lindsey Everett Allen Jr. and extend our sincere condolences to
3 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to the family of Everett Allen as an expression of
7 our deepest sympathy.