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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Morris A. "Morrie" De Geeter of East 4 Moline, who passed away on July 10, 2020 at the age of 101; and

5 WHEREAS, Morris De Geeter was born in Hartwick, Iowa to 6 Edward and Emma (Van Waes) De Geeter on August 6, 1918; he 7 served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and married 8 Patricia "Annie" (Gardiner) Campbell in Moline on August 18, 9 1987; and

10 WHEREAS, Morris De Geeter retired from the International 11 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 1304 in 1982, after 25 12 years of service; and

13 WHEREAS, Morris De Geeter loved his house and the outdoors;14 he enjoyed hunting, fishing, and golfing; and

15 WHEREAS, Morris De Geeter was preceded in death by his 16 parents; his children, Brad Martin De Geeter and Karna O'Neil; 17 his stepdaughter, Barb Campbell; and his siblings, Fred, 18 Victor, and August De Geeter and Ida Vermiere; and

19 WHEREAS, Morris De Geeter is survived by his wife, Annie;
20 his stepson, Weldon Campbell Jr.; numerous grandchildren,

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4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL 5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 6 Morris A. "Morrie" De Geeter and extend our sincere condolences 7 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be 8 it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 10 presented to the family of Morris De Geeter as an expression of 11 our deepest sympathy.