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SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Dr. Daniel Adair of Springfield, who 4 passed away on September 7, 2015; and

5 WHEREAS, Dr. Adair was born in Decatur on November 4, 1953 to Floyd "Bud" and Kathleen "Kay" Adair; he graduated from 6 7 Belleville West High School in 1971 and from the University of 8 Tennessee in Chattanooga in 1975, where he was an accomplished 9 member of the men's tennis team; he then enrolled in the 10 Southern Illinois University School of Medicine in 11 Springfield; he married Nancy Dawson on June 17, 1978 in Springfield; and 12

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair and his family moved to Winston-Salem, North Carolina, where he began his professional career as an intern and resident at the Bowman-Gray School of Medicine at Wake Forest University; he was a member of the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons, serving on its national Health Care Systems Committee; he was also a member of the International Cartilage Repair Society and the American Orthopedic Society for Sports Medicine, as well as many other medical associations; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Adair was most recently serving as Medical

- 1 Director of Orthopedic Services at Memorial Medical Center,
- 2 Co-Director of the Orthopedic Group at Springfield Clinic, and
- 3 Co-Medical Director at SportsCare of Illinois; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Adair enjoyed spending time with his family
- 5 and volunteered as a member of the Springfield Bicycle Advisory
- 6 Committee, helping to improve bicycle paths around
- 7 Springfield; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Dr. Adair is survived by his wife, Nancy; his 2
- 9 children Zach (Tacy) and Courtney (Nathan Karlsgodt); his 2
- 10 grandchildren, Piper and Beckett; his mother, Kay; his sister,
- 11 Lorrie (Erik Moorhead); and numerous other nephews, nieces,
- 12 relatives, and friends; therefore, be it
- 13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
- ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 15 Dr. Daniel Adair, and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 16 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 17 further
- 18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 19 presented to the family of Dr. Adair as an expression of our
- deepest sympathy.