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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 Roger Wallace Spiegler of Des Plaines, who passed away on April 23, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Spiegler was born to Walter and Mabel Busse Spiegler on January 3, 1924; he graduated from Maine East High School in 1942 and served in the United States Army in the 42nd Rainbow Division in France and Germany; his division liberated Munich and the Dachau concentration camp; he married Elaine Partridge in 1947 and graduated from the University of Illinois with a degree in marketing in 1949; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Spiegler worked as manager of the men's department in Spiegler's Department Store for 40 years and later became co-owner; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Spiegler was a lifelong Elk and served as Exalted Ruler of the Des Plaines Elks from 1959 to 1960; he was also a member of the Lions Club; in 1972, he was selected to be on the Board of Directors of the Des Plaines National Bank, and in 1974, he was elected as President of the Des Plaines Chamber of Commerce; and

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WHEREAS, Roger Spiegler loved the game of golf and played

1 well into his 80s; he was a loyal Chicago Cubs, Bears, Bulls,
2 and Blackhawks fan; and

3 WHEREAS, Roger Spiegler was preceded in death by his wife
4 of almost 65 years, Elaine; his parents; his sister, Shirley
5 Spiegler Jacobs; his brother, David; and his daughter-in-law,
6 Debbie; and

7 WHEREAS, Roger Spiegler is survived by his sons, Allan
8 (Frances) Jay Spiegler, Glenn Roger Spiegler, and Tracy Lee
9 Spiegler; his grandchildren, Lisa, Julian (Liz), Kyle, and
10 Susan; his great-grandchildren, La'Nyiah and Serenity; his
11 sister-in-law, Gail Spiegler; three nephews; three nieces; and
12 seven great-nieces and great-nephews; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
14 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
15 Roger Wallace Spiegler, and extend our sincere condolences to
16 his 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 Roger Spiegler as an expression of
20 our deepest sympathy.