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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 2 learn of the death of Denton James "Red" Danielson of Port 3 4 Byron, who passed away on April 11, 2017; and 5 WHEREAS, Denton Danielson was born in Sioux Falls, South 6 Dakota to E. Kenneth and Myrtle (Hansen) Danielson on March 5, 7 1946; he graduated from Riverdale High School in 1964 and served in the United States Air Force in Vietnam; he married 8 9 Brigitte K. Neu in April of 1974; and 10 WHEREAS, Denton Danielson was a machinist; he started working with Rock Island Lines, and then with the Iowa 11 Interstate Railroad in Iowa City, Iowa, retiring in 2006; and 12 13 WHEREAS, Denton Danielson loved being outdoors, golfing, and taking care of his yard; he liked old cars and old western 14 15 movies; and 16 WHEREAS, Denton Danielson was preceded in death by his 17 father, Kenneth, and his brother, Marvin; and 18 WHEREAS, Denton Danielson is survived by his mother, 19 Myrtle; his wife, Brigitte; his children, Tina (Gary) Quick, 20 Tom Danielson, and Stephanie (Deric) Schradeya; his siblings,

- 1 Mary Jo (Jim) Doud, Richard "Whitey" (Terry) Danielson, Elaine
- 2 (Carrol) Foster, and Lois Retzl; his grandchildren, Andrew
- 3 Danielson, Keith and Lakin Quick, and Jacob, Henry, and Charlie
- 4 Schradeya; and his great-grandson, Evan; therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 7 Denton James "Red" Danielson, and extend our sincere
- 8 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
- 9 him; and be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to the family of Denton Danielson as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.