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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 Jerry D. Lemmon II of Springfield, who passed away on May 5, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Lemmon was born to Jerry D. Lemmon Sr. and Anne (Mathias) Lemmon in Springfield on February 23, 1968; he attended Christ the King Grade School and Griffin High School and graduated from Indiana University, where he was a member of the Sigma Chi Fraternity; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Lemmon was one of the seven original Broker/Partner/Owners of The Real Estate Group and had a very successful career in real estate; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Lemmon was a member of the Island Bay Yacht Club, Aqua Club, and Sigma Chi Fraternity; he was a Life Member of Christ the King Parish; he was an active contributor and advocate for the First Step Women's Crisis Center and served as auctioneer for many charity events in the Springfield area; and

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WHEREAS, Jerry Lemmon enjoyed traveling to tropical locations to visit his loving sister and her fiancé; he was everyone's weatherman, keeping friends and loved ones updated on upcoming storms; his favorite pastimes were attending Sacred

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1 Heart-Griffin football games as well as boating, golfing,  
2 fishing, and being near the ocean; he was a compassionate man  
3 with a heart of gold, who would help anyone at any time; he  
4 will be especially remembered for his sense of humor; and

5 WHEREAS, Jerry Lemmon was preceded in death by his father  
6 and his grandparents; and

7 WHEREAS, Jerry Lemmon is survived by his beloved mother,  
8 Anne; his sister, Lisa Lemmon (fiancé Jason Godin); his  
9 half-brother, Richard Tuxhorn, his special friends Brenda and  
10 Tate (Scarborough) Weddigen, Jim, and Foxer; and his several  
11 aunts, uncles, and cousins; therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL  
13 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
14 Jerry D. Lemmon II and extend our sincere condolences to his  
15 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
16 further

17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
18 presented to the family of Jerry Lemmon as an expression of our  
19 deepest sympathy.