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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 Shyree Adrianna Pullen, who passed away on January 24, 2022; and

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WHEREAS, Shyree Pullen was born to the late Sharla Rosanna Pullen and Pierre Jackson in Little Rock, Arkansas on December 24, 1992; she committed to her faith at an early age and was baptized at the First Baptist Church of Melrose Park; later, she became a member of St. John AME Church in Aurora, where she was a member of the young adult ministry; and

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WHEREAS, Shyree Pullen graduated from Waubonsee Valley High School in Aurora and then matriculated at Northern Illinois University, where she excelled in biology, chemistry, and the creative arts; and

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WHEREAS, Shyree Pullen enjoyed a variety of interesting experiences; she served as a page at Oxford University in England and participated in a music festival at the Vatican in Rome and in Venice, Italy; she was active with the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Jabberwock Cotillion and earned the title of Ms. Jabberwock 2010; and

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WHEREAS, Shyree Pullen lived a purposeful life and will be

1 remembered for her vibrant smile, warm personality, generous  
2 spirit, and willingness to help and serve others; therefore,  
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4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL  
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
6 Shyree Adrianna Pullen and extend our sincere condolences to  
7 her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it  
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9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
10 presented to the family of Shyree Pullen as an expression of  
11 our deepest sympathy.