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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 Patrick "Pat" Eugene Hicks of Moline, who passed away on November 30, 2022; and

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WHEREAS, Pat Hicks was born to Geoff and Sharon (Huffman) Hicks in DeKalb on March 18, 1970; he graduated from Moline High School in 1988; he served in the U.S. Army during the Gulf War and earned a number of medals, including the Southwest Asia Service Medal with three bronze stars; he married Jennifer Hitch in Hinsdale on March 23, 2002; and

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WHEREAS, Patrick Hicks worked at John Deere Harvester, where he was most recently a fork truck operator; and

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WHEREAS, Pat Hicks was a member of the Porsche Club of America as well as several other car and gaming groups; and

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WHEREAS, Pat Hicks enjoyed fishing, hunting, and going to the shooting range; he loved gaming and had many gaming friends from around the country; he particularly enjoyed cars and coffee, but the most important thing to him was family; and

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WHEREAS, Pat is survived by his wife; his daughter, Abby; his parents; his brother, Andrew Hicks; his in-laws, James and

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1 Janice Hitch; his brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Jeanene
2 and Mark Letcher, James and Kelly Hitch, and Jorie and Jared
3 Edwards; and his nieces and nephews, Rebekah, Christopher, and
4 Jonathan Letcher, Colin and Finn Hitch, and Jorja, Jada, and
5 Jaymesyn Edwards; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Patrick "Pat" Eugene Hicks and extend our sincere condolences
9 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be
10 it further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Pat Hicks as an expression of our
13 deepest sympathy.