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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 Larry E. Dawson of Springfield, formerly of Pekin, who passed away on June 28, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Larry Dawson, the son of Chester and Isabelle (Rushing) Dawson, was born in Peoria on September 15, 1942; he married Cheryl Lee "Cheri" (Martin) Campbell on December 21, 1979; and

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WHEREAS, Larry Dawson was a steamfitter for Local #353 for over 60 years, retiring as business manager in 2000; and

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WHEREAS, Larry Dawson's warm smile and willingness to help others touched the lives of all who knew him; he was known for his kindness and dedication to his family and friends; and

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WHEREAS, Larry Dawson was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, James "Jim" Dawson; his brothers-in-law, Kenneth "Kenny" Mitzelfelt and William "Bill" Martin; and his sisters-in-law, Mary Dawson, Jaqueline "Jackie" Mitzelfelt, and Louise Martin; and

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WHEREAS, Larry Dawson is survived by his wife, Cheri; his children, Larry (Trudy) Dawson Jr., Debora "Debbie" (Brian)

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1 Ihnes, Patricia "Patty" Stancomb, and Nicole Campbell "Nikki"
2 (Joe) Monari; his brother, Robert "Bob" (Norma) Dawson; seven
3 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 Larry E. Dawson and extend our sincere condolences to his
7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Larry Dawson as an expression of our
11 deepest sympathy.