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## SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed; and 4 WHEREAS, Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed was born in Burma, where 5 be witnessed British rule post-colonial independence and the

5 he witnessed British rule, post-colonial independence, and the6 Rohingya Genocide; and

7 WHEREAS, Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed left Burma due to the 8 persecution against him and his community, living the majority 9 of his adult life in different countries; and

10 WHEREAS, Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed resettled in Chicago in 11 2015, where he attended English and citizenship classes, 12 eventually becoming a U.S. citizen in 2021; and

13 WHEREAS, Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed served as a board member 14 of the Rohingya Culture Center to assist the people of Burma; 15 and

16 WHEREAS, Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed continuously advocated 17 for Burma, traveling to Washington D.C. to meet with the 18 United States Department of State to advocate for his home 19 country; and SR1188 -2- LRB103 42327 ECR 75551 r 1 WHEREAS, Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed always focused on how he 2 could help others; therefore, be it

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

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 9 presented to the family of Mohamed Miah Ali Mohamed as an 10 expression of our deepest sympathy.