

1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the State of
3 Illinois were saddened to learn of the death of Dr. Rolley
4 C. Bateman, Jr. on Friday, May 23, 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Born on April 29, 1925 in Chicago, Dr. Bateman
6 was the son of Anna (nee Bradtke) and Rolley C. Bateman, Sr.;
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8 WHEREAS, Dr. Bateman graduated from Foreman High School
9 in Chicago at the age of 16, from North Park College in 1943,
10 and the University of Iowa in 1945, where he acquired his
11 bachelor of science degree; in 1949 he graduated from the
12 University of Illinois, College of Dentistry; beginning in
13 1959, Dr. Bateman was on staff at the then, new, Northwest
14 Community Hospital; and

15 WHEREAS, Dr. Bateman practiced dentistry for 38 years,
16 from 1953 to 1987; he was Palatine's third dentist; he served
17 as a captain in the 101st Airborne Division Army Dental Corps
18 from 1951 to 1953; he taught at Loyola Dental School in the
19 Department of Radiology & Diagnosis as an associate professor
20 and director of clinics; he retired in 1987 at the age of 62
21 and was awarded standing as Professor Emeritus; and

22 WHEREAS, Dr. Bateman served as president of and held
23 other offices with the North Suburban Branch of the Chicago
24 Dental Society; he also served as president of the Northwest
25 Suburban Dental Study Club; in addition, he was a member of
26 Odontographic Society; and

27 WHEREAS, Dr. Bateman was involved in many organizations,
28 including the board of health for the Village of Palatine,
29 the advisory committee for the Harper College Dental Hygiene
30 Program, and the board of directors for the Palatine Savings
31 & Loan Association; and

1 WHEREAS, In addition, Dr. Bateman was a member of the St.
2 Paul United Methodist Church of Palatine; he was also a
3 member of the Palatine Masonic Lodge #314 A.F. & A.M.,
4 Palatine Chapter #206 of the Royal Arch Masons, Council of
5 Cryptic Masons #46, Knights Templar Bethel Commandery #36,
6 Scottish Rite Valley of Chicago, Northwest Suburban Shrine
7 Club, Medinah Shrine Temple of Chicago, and Sahib Shrine
8 Temple of Sarasota, Florida; and

9 WHEREAS, The passing of Dr. Rolley C. Bateman, Jr. has
10 been deeply felt by all who knew him, especially his wife,
11 Annette; his children, Rolley C. III (Marianne), James P.
12 (Laurel), Noel A. (Dr. Robert J.) Angerame, Elizabeth L.
13 (Paul) Grayczyk, Roberta L. (Steven) Conrad, and Kristin M.
14 (Brian) Tite; his grandchildren, Rolley IV, Stephen,
15 Katherine, Daniel, Rebecca, Emily, and Megan Bateman, John,
16 Marc, and Thomas Angerame, Kimberly, James, and Jeffrey
17 Grayczyk, Courtney, Christine, and Catherine Conrad, and
18 Kelly Tite; and his great-grandchildren, Emma and Iris
19 Bateman; Dr. Bateman Jr. was preceded in death by his
20 parents; therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL
22 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing
23 of Dr. Rolley C. Bateman, Jr. and express our sincere and
24 deepest sympathy to his family and friends; and be it further

25 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
26 presented to the family of Dr. Rolley C. Bateman, Jr. as an
27 expression of our condolences during their time of
28 bereavement.