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SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the State of Illinois learned with sadness of the death of Ken J. Boyer of Jackson, Missouri, formerly of Anna, on August 5, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Boyer was born September 20, 1937, in Anna, to Lawrence A. and Mae Pitts Boyer; he married Jo Wenger; and

WHEREAS, He was a graduate of Anna-Jonesboro High School and Southern Illinois University Carbondale; he was a veteran of the United States Army; he was president and chief operations officer of Work Force Investment Board of Southeast Missouri and active in other civic affairs; he was a member of First Baptist Church of Anna; and

WHEREAS, The passing of Ken Boyer is felt by all who knew and loved him, especially his wife of 42 years, Jo; his son, Scott Andrew Boyer; his daughter, Stacey and husband Larry George; his brother, Lawrence J. Boyer; his sister, Virginia and husband Ernest Boyd; his grandchildren, Kyle, Adriana, and Kaelyn; and his other relatives and many friends; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Ken Boyer and extend our sincerest condolences to his family, friends, and community; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to his family as an expression of our deepest sympathy.