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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The Senate was saddened to learn of the death of
3 Danny Thomas "Hobart" McCluskey of Carterville, Illinois on
4 September 29, 2005; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. McCluskey was born October 1, 1949, in
6 Carbondale, to Hiram Thomas and Virginia Colleen (Volner)
7 McCluskey; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. McCluskey was a Sergeant for the Williamson
9 County Sheriff's Department for the past 30 years; he worked
10 for the City of Carterville for five years, working for the
11 police, fire, and water departments; he was a member of First
12 Baptist Church in Carterville and attended the First Christian
13 Church in Carterville; he was a member of the Fraternal Order
14 of Police; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. McCluskey was an avid fisherman and
16 outdoorsman; he also was an enthusiastic Carterville sports
17 fan, NASCAR fan, and St. Louis sports fan; he loved his dogs
18 and his guns; he was a certified marksmanship instructor; he
19 participated in the Bass World Sports Tournament, and in 2003
20 he won the Harkins Bass Tournament; he was a former member of
21 the Little Egypt Bass Club; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. McCluskey is survived by three daughters,
23 Laura, Jennifer, and Rebecca McCluskey, and their mother,
24 Christine McCluskey Thompson; his fiancée, Rhonda Kay Tyner;
25 his mother, Virginia McCluskey of Carterville; his brother and
26 sister-in-law, the Rev. William W. and Janet McCluskey; and his
27 nephew and niece, Caleb and Sarah McCluskey; he was preceded in
28 death by his father; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. McCluskey will be greatly missed by all who
30 knew him, especially his family and friends; therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the death of
3 Danny Thomas "Hobart" McCluskey, and we extend our sincere
4 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
5 him; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be presented to
7 the family of Danny Thomas McCluskey as an expression of our
8 deepest sympathy.