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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2	WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3	hear of the death of Debra Kay Macon of Chicago; and
4	WHEREAS, Debra Kay Macon was born on December 16, 1954 in

Chicago; her parents were Otha Macon and Fred Bailey; and

- WHEREAS, Debra Kay Macon attended Brown Elementary School and Cooley High School; and she received a Business Management degree from Malcolm X College; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Debra Kay Macon joined the Hermon Baptist Church 10 in 1965, where she was then baptized; she later served under 11 Pastor Alvin J. Wesley as his nurse until his death in June 12 2006; she also served her church faithfully as a member of the 13 Junior Choir, the Hermon Ensemble, the Hermon Senior Choir, the 14 Women's Guild, and the Nurse's Ministry; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Debra Kay Macon was an active participant in her 16 community; she helped start the Resident Management 17 Corporation and Tenant Patrol, and served as the secretary of 18 the Cabrini Green Local Advisor Council for many years; she also worked for J.H. Russell and the Chicago Youth Program from 19 20 2003 until her death; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Debra Kay Macon will be remembered by all who knew
- 2 and loved her as a very dedicated woman who would always help
- 3 those in need and as a true Christian who devoted her life
- 4 serving the Lord; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Debra Kay Macon is survived by her children,
- 6 Michael and Sabrina Macon; her sister, Valerie; her brother,
- 7 Darryl; her grandchildren, Giovounta and Terirua; her
- 8 godchildren, Andrea, Briniya, and Jaliyah; and many other
- 9 relatives and friends; therefore, be it
- 10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL
- 11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
- her family and friends, the passing of Debra Kay Macon; and be
- 13 it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Debra Kay Macon as an expression of
- our sympathy.