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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Donna Jean Herr of Collinsville, who 4 passed away on September 16, 2008; and

5 WHEREAS, She was born April 1, 1956, in Inglewood,
6 California; she was a registered nurse and was currently
7 working at St. Louis County Correctional Facility; she also
8 worked many years at St. Louis University Hospital; she married
9 Jeffrey A. Herr on May 14, 1989, at Holy Cross Lutheran Church
10 in Collinsville; and

WHEREAS, She was the co-owner of Jeff Herr's Cullop Jennings Florist in Collinsville since 1992; she was a member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church and the Collinsville Junior Service Club; and

WHEREAS, She was a 1974 graduate of Collinsville High School and a 1978 graduate of Maryville College with an Associate Degree in nursing; she was a master gardener through the University of Illinois Extension; she will be remembered for the love of her family and the special times shared with her children; and

21 WHEREAS, She was preceded in death by her father, Pete

- 1 Perucca; and
- WHEREAS, Donna Jean Herr is survived by her husband,
- Jeffrey A. Herr; her mother, Selma "Sam", nee Wells, Perucca;
- 4 her daughter, Rachel Lynn Herr; her son, Vincent A. Herr III;
- 5 her brother, Pete Perucca; her sister and brother-in-law,
- Judith "Twig" and Robert Omelson; her nieces and nephews, P.J.
- 7 Perucca, Lauren Omelson, Anna Omelson, and Clayton Omelson; and
- 8 her mother-in-law and father-in-law, Philip and Charleen Herr;
- 9 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 Donna Jean Herr; and be
- 13 it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Donna Jean Herr as a symbol of our
- 16 sincere sympathy.