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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Stella M. Dey of Carlinville, who passed away on September 21, 2009; and

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WHEREAS, Stella Dey was born on February 1, 1924, in Gillespie; she was the daughter of Ira and Stella Linton Bethel; and

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WHEREAS, Stella Dey began working in her father's insurance office as a secretary at age 15; during World War II, she was employed in an airplane factory in Indiana; she then worked for Prairie Farms Dairy for many years until her retirement in 1987; and

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WHEREAS, Stella Dey was preceded in death by her son, Robert Duaine Sackett; her parents; and her 4 brothers; and

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WHEREAS, Stella Dey is survived by her son and daughters-in-law, Denis and Michelle Sackett and Donna (husband, Jerry) Burnett; her daughter and son-in-law, Diana and Greg Joiner; her grandchildren, Shawne Sackett, Kimberly Sackett, Greg Joiner, Michael Joiner, Tracey Joiner, Andrea Sackett, Sara Sackett, Eric Sackett, Cheryl Klaus, Howard Dunn, Ernest Dunn, Angela Barnes, and Audra Pierce; her 21

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1 great-grandchildren; and her many nieces and nephews;
2 therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
5 her family and friends, the passing of Stella M. Dey; and be it
6 further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Stella Dey as an expression of our
9 sympathy.