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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 Margaret Ruth Dorsey of Waukegan, who passed away on January 18, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Margaret Dorsey was born on September 25, 1924 in Florence, Alabama; her parents were George and Olivia Hollingsworth; she resided in North Chicago and Waukegan for 77 years; and

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WHEREAS, Margaret Dorsey retired from American Motors after 30 years of employment; after retiring, she became a certified manicurist; and

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WHEREAS, Margaret Dorsey enjoyed fishing, rummage sales, cooking, casino trips, gardening, and spending time with her family; and

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WHEREAS, Margaret Dorsey was preceded in death by her husband, James Dorsey, Sr.; her parents; her son, Doctor James Dorsey, Jr.; her daughter, Joan Winston; her brothers, George and Robert Hollingsworth; and her grandchildren, Yvonne Winston, Abray Dorsey, and Jocelyn Dorsey; and

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WHEREAS, Margaret Dorsey is survived by her daughter,

1 Frances (Patrick) Tompkins; her sons, Curtis (Barbara) Dorsey  
2 and Marvin (Brenda) Dorsey; her brother, Fred Hollingsworth;  
3 her nieces, Brianne (Shawn) Rhyner and Arnita (Michael)  
4 Johnson; her nephews, Melvin (Catherine) Craigen and Alvin  
5 (Ernestine) Craigen; her grandchildren, Belinda, Patrick,  
6 Tinya, Jerine, Catherine, Barbara, Curtis II, Jamie, Derrick,  
7 Kelley, Tamara, and Khershuana; her 14 great-grandchildren; 13  
8 great-great-grandchildren; and her many other relatives and  
9 friends; therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL  
11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with her  
12 family and friends, mourn the passing of Margaret Ruth Dorsey;  
13 and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
15 presented to the family of Margaret Dorsey as an expression of  
16 our sympathy.