

1 A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor and loving memory Val A. "Bud"
2 Lederer.

3 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer, was born on May 29, 1937, in Dayton,
4 Kentucky, to the late Robert and Mildred Lederer; and

5 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer served our country for six years in the United
6 States Navy on the USS Ticonderoga and the USS Casa Grande; and

7 WHEREAS, in 1958, Val A. "Bud" Lederer became a dedicated member of the
8 Alexandria Fire Department where he served for 65 years; and

9 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer demonstrated his leadership abilities, and he
10 was quickly recognized and awarded the rank of Lieutenant in charge of EMS, Captain,
11 and Assistant Chief before his election as Fire Chief in 1974, a role in which he served
12 for 18 years; and

13 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer continued to show a commitment to the
14 firefighting community by membership on numerous committees and subsequent
15 chairmanship within the Kentucky Firefighters Association. He was appointed as the first
16 Kentucky Firefighters Association's Director representing the Northern Kentucky Region
17 in 1993, helping and inspiring generations of firefighters for the next 22 years; and

18 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer was a loving husband to his wife, Wanda
19 Lederer, and they celebrated 59 years of wedded bliss. He and Wanda were the parents of
20 a cherished daughter, Robbin Lederer See; and

21 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer was preceded in death by his wife and two
22 brothers, Robert and Gary Lederer, and he is survived by his other brother, Donald
23 Lederer; daughter, Robbin Lederer See; two grandchildren, Jamie (Evan) Roth and Jake
24 See; and many extended family members and friends; and

25 WHEREAS, Val A. "Bud" Lederer's dedication, leadership, and unwavering
26 commitment to his family, his community, and the fire service will never be forgotten;

27 NOW, THEREFORE,

1 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of*
2 *Kentucky:*

3 ➔Section 1. The members of the Senate hereby express their most profound
4 sympathy upon the passing of Val A. "Bud" Lederer.

5 ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor and loving
6 memory of Val A. "Bud" Lederer.

7 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this
8 Resolution to Senator Shelley Funke Frommeyer for delivery to the family.