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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2019**

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**SENATE RESOLUTION**

**EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF SANDRA A. BEHAR**

Introduced By: Senators Ruggerio, McCaffrey, Goodwin, Sheehan, and Algieri

Date Introduced: January 02, 2019

Referred To: Recommended for Immediate Consideration

1           WHEREAS, It is with great sadness that this Senate has learned of the passing of Sandra  
2 A. Behar, loving wife of Dr. Jose Behar, the adored mother of three sons, William, David, and  
3 our friend and colleague the Honorable James Sheehan, and the step-mother of Tamara and  
4 Daniel Behar; and

5           WHEREAS, Born in Providence, Mrs. Behar was the daughter of Anita Costello and the  
6 late Walter Milazzo, and the step-daughter of Michael Costello. She graduated Magna Cum  
7 Laude from the Rhode Island College School of Nursing and was a dedicated Registered Nurse at  
8 Kent County Memorial Hospital for more than thirty-five years; and

9           WHEREAS, Sandra Behar's loving personality created a home that was warm and  
10 welcoming. She doted on her family, particularly her eight beautiful grandchildren. Her patient  
11 and caring nature made her the kind of mother and grandmother that every child needs and  
12 deserves; and

13           WHEREAS, An amazing human being and an exemplary wife, mother, daughter,  
14 grandmother, aunt, and friend, Sandra Behar was the heart and soul of her family. Her  
15 kindheartedness and sincerity will forever be indelibly imprinted on the lives and in the cherished  
16 memories of her entire family. She enriched the lives of all who had the good fortune to have  
17 known her and she will be dearly missed; now, therefore be it

18           RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
19 hereby expresses its deepest sympathy on the passing of Sandra Behar. She will be forever  
20 remembered; and be it further

1           RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to  
2 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to the Honorable James Sheehan, and Dr. Jose  
3 Behar and Family.

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