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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2026

SENATE RESOLUTION

EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF ALMA C. BOISSEAU

Introduced By: Senators Thompson, and Murray

Date Introduced: January 12, 2026

Referred To: Placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

1 WHEREAS, It is with deep sadness that this Senate has learned of the passing of Alma C.  
2 Boisseau. She was the beloved wife of the late David J. Boisseau for 60 years; and

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Boisseau was born in Woonsocket, the daughter of the late Arthur and  
4 Aurore Cartier. Alma was devoted to her family and loved ones and worked tirelessly to provide  
5 for them. She worked for several years at the Rosemont Mill and Nyman’s, and later worked for  
6 18 years at A.T. Cross, before retiring in 1986; and

7 WHEREAS, In retirement, Alma enjoyed volunteering at the Landmark Medical Center,  
8 the Woonsocket Senior Center and St. Joseph’s Food Cupboard. Alma also enjoyed knitting,  
9 crocheting and quilting; and

10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Alma C. Boisseau leaves behind her daughters, Denise Bourget and  
11 her husband, Paul, and Pauline LaLonde and her husband, Roger. She also leaves behind her son-  
12 in-law Lucien Blanchard, ten grandchildren, fourteen great-grandchildren, and many great-great  
13 grandchildren. Alma Boisseau was predeceased by her daughter, Lorraine Blanchard, and her  
14 siblings Ovila “Pete” Cartier and Violette Remillard; now, therefore be it

15 RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island hereby expresses its deepest  
16 condolences on the passing of Alma C. Boisseau; and be it further

- 1           RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
- 2   transmit duly certified copies of this resolution to Denise Bourget and Pauline LaLonde.

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