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Statement from Mayor Emanuel on Passing of Stan Mikita

“Stan Mikita was a Chicago original. One of the greatest players ever to take the ice, this product of war-torn Czechoslovakia immigrated with his family to Canada before making his mark - and his home - in Chicago. His fierce competitiveness and toughness belied a creative and innovative style that made him a fan favorite. Amy’s and my thoughts are with the Mikita family, and the Chicago hockey community, as we say farewell to this icon.”

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