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A RESOLUTION

Honoring Ethan Smith as the 2015 Junior Champion of the World English Sporting Clays Tournament.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Ethan Smith on his outstanding performance at the World English Sporting Clays Tournament; and

WHEREAS, Ethan Smith has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish himself as a truly exceptional young athlete. With admirable dedication, he has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in sporting clays competition, and as a result, he placed first in the junior category at this year's World English Sporting Clays Tournament; and

WHEREAS, Ethan Smith's accomplishments and leadership, both in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine reflection not only on him but also on his family, his coach, Joe Carlisle, his sponsors, Beretta USA and the Fiocchi Ammunition Company, and his community. His unwavering commitment to excellence has earned him the respect and esteem of many, and he is certainly worthy of high praise; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased to pay tribute to Ethan Smith on an exemplary achievement. Indeed, the same maturity and experience

he has gained through his participation in the World English Sporting Clays Tournament will greatly aid him in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Ethan Smith as the 2015 World English Sporting Clays Tournament Junior Champion; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Ethan Smith.