

## As Adopted by the House

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**Representative Koehler**

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### A RESOLUTION

Honoring Shelby Knapp as a 2015 NFCA Division III All-America Scholar-Athlete.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Shelby Knapp on being named a 2015 National Fastpitch Coaches Association Division III All-America Scholar-Athlete; and

WHEREAS, This achievement is truly noteworthy, for Shelby Knapp has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest academic standards to establish herself as a truly exceptional student athlete. A 2015 graduate of Wittenberg University, where she was a standout on the softball team while maintaining at least a 3.5 grade point average, she has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in all her endeavors, and her unwavering commitment to excellence has earned her the respect and esteem of many. She is certainly deserving of high praise; and

WHEREAS, Shelby Knapp's accomplishments and leadership, both in athletic competition and in the classroom, are a justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only on her but also on her family, her instructors and coaches, her school, and her hometown. Indeed, the same maturity and experience she has gained through her participation in academics and sports will greatly aid her in meeting the challenges of the future; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition being a mainstay of American society, we applaud Shelby Knapp on her prowess in an activity that promotes qualities essential for excellence in all of life's pursuits. Participation in sports has enabled her to learn much about dedication, self-discipline, and perseverance, and it is no surprise that she has won countless admirers; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 28  
Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 29  
this Resolution, congratulate Shelby Knapp on her recent accolade 30  
and extend best wishes for continued success; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 32  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Shelby 33  
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