

**As Offered**

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**H. R. No. 248**

**Representatives Green, Brinkman**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Preston Ellis as a 2017 United States Trampoline  
and Tumbling Association National Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Preston 2  
Ellis on placing first in the novice boys age 9-10 tumbling event 3  
at the 2017 United States Trampoline and Tumbling Association 4  
National Championships; and 5

WHEREAS, A student at Gymnastics Central TnT, Preston Ellis 6  
has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals 7  
of good sportsmanship to establish himself as a truly exceptional 8  
athlete. With admirable dedication, he has worked diligently 9  
toward attaining ultimate proficiency in his sport, and as a 10  
result, he won first place in the novice boys age 9-10 tumbling 11  
event at this year's United States Trampoline and Tumbling 12  
Association National Championships; and 13

WHEREAS, Preston Ellis' accomplishments and leadership, both 14  
in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a 15  
remarkable reflection not only on him but also on his family, his 16  
teammates, his coaches, his gym, and his community. His unwavering 17  
commitment to excellence has earned him the respect and esteem of 18  
many, and he is certainly worthy of high praise; and 19

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 20  
role in the total education of our young people, we are overjoyed 21  
to pay tribute to Preston Ellis on his exemplary achievements. 22  
Indeed, the same maturity and experience he has gained through his 23  
participation in tumbling will greatly aid him in meeting the 24  
challenges of the future; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 26

Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 27  
this Resolution, commend Preston Ellis on his personal success and 28  
salute him as one of Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it 29  
further 30

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 31  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Preston 32  
Ellis. 33