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Senator Hackett

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Central State University on its One Hundred
Thirtieth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Central State
University as it celebrates one hundred thirty years of
outstanding education; and

WHEREAS, This is a significant anniversary, and
congratulations are certainly in order as Central State University
marks a very special milestone. Founded in 1887 as a two-year
program associated with Wilberforce University, this vibrant and
venerable institution sharpened its focus to undergraduate
education in the liberal arts and sciences and gained a four-year
curriculum in 1941 before receiving university status in 1965.
Since its inception, CSU has consistently transformed lives
through higher learning, boasting that change is central, and has
provided a host of opportunities to countless students through
unparalleled curricula, instruction, and facilities; and

WHEREAS, Steadily growing in stature as an exciting hub of
intellectual discovery and an indispensable scholastic center for
the exchange of ideas and information, Central State University
can be depended upon to produce numerous qualified leaders and
global citizens who are ready to assume key roles in a wide array
of fields and professions. This fine educational institution has
been named an Ohio Center of Excellence in Emerging Technologies
and an Ohio Center of Excellence in Cultural and Societal
Transformations, inspiring confidence that it will maintain its
long tradition of integrity; and

WHEREAS, As Central State University continues to forge its

path after one hundred thirty years of prominence and prosperity, 27
the administration, faculty, staff, students, and alumni can take 28
pride in their service to the university and the greater community 29
and in their civility for one another. To their credit, all those 30
associated with CSU merit praise for their profound commitment to 31
uphold the stalwart standards that have come to be associated with 32
the school; therefore be it 33

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 34
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud 35
Central State University on its One Hundred Thirtieth Anniversary 36
and look to a future of success as it expands upon its record of 37
exemplary education; and be it further 38

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 39
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Central State University. 40