

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 120**

**Senator Dolan**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Izabella Abookire as a 2019 State Gymnastics  
Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Izabella Abookire on 2  
winning the 2019 State Gymnastics Championship in the uneven 3  
parallel bars; and 4

WHEREAS, A member of the Brecksville-Broadview Heights High 5  
School gymnastics team, Izabella Abookire has combined talent and 6  
competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship 7  
to establish herself as a truly exceptional young athlete. With 8  
admirable dedication, she has worked diligently toward attaining 9  
ultimate proficiency in gymnastics, and as a result, she won first 10  
place in the uneven parallel bars, second place in the floor 11  
exercise, and third place in the individual and all around events 12  
at this year's state meet; and 13

WHEREAS, Izabella Abookire's accomplishments and leadership, 14  
both in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride 15  
and a fine reflection not only on her but also on her family, her 16  
teammates, her coach, Joan Ganim, and the whole of the Bees 17  
community. Her unwavering commitment to excellence has earned her 18  
the respect and esteem of many, and she is certainly worthy of 19  
high praise; and 20

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important 21  
role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely 22  
pleased to pay tribute to Izabella Abookire on an exemplary 23  
season. Indeed, the maturity and experience she has gained through 24  
her participation in gymnastics will greatly aid her in meeting 25  
the challenges of the future; therefore be it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd	27
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend	28
Izabella Abookire on her 2019 State Gymnastics Championship and	29
extend best wishes for continued success; and be it further	30
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	31
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Izabella Abookire.	32