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Senator Dolan

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Kennedy Griffin as a 2019 OHSAA 7th- and 8th-grade State Track and Field Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Kennedy Griffin on placing first in the long jump at the 2019 OHSAA 7th- and 8th-grade State Track and Field Meet; and

WHEREAS, Kennedy Griffin's accomplishments are truly noteworthy, for she has clearly demonstrated her talent and perseverance, as well as her mental and physical fortitude. A member of the Strongsville Middle School girls track and field team, she won first place in the girls long jump with a leap of 18 feet, 1.25 inches at this year's OHSAA 7th- and 8th-grade State Track and Field Meet, and she has exemplified all of the characteristics which are essential for success both in and out of athletics, including courage, integrity, and an innate sense of the principles of good sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, By developing such remarkable prowess as a member of the Strongsville Middle School girls track and field team, Kennedy Griffin has earned the appreciation of her fellow athletes, the devotion of countless fans, and the respect of even her most determined rivals. Her outstanding record of achievement stands as a hallmark worthy of emulation, and she has inspired countless individuals to excel in numerous areas of endeavor; and

WHEREAS, The long jump is an event which requires exceptional strength, agility, and natural ability, and Kennedy Griffin is to be commended for her commitment to this demanding activity. In attaining her goals, she has certainly distinguished herself as a true champion; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud Kennedy Griffin on her recent distinction and salute her as a fine Ohioan; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Kennedy Griffin.