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Representative McColley

A R E S O L U T I O N

Honoring Brittany Atkinson on winning a 2015
Division III State Track and Field Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Brittany Atkinson as the 2015 Division III State Champion in the 3,200-meter run; and

WHEREAS, A senior at Liberty Center High School, Brittany Atkinson has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish herself as a truly exceptional athlete. With admirable dedication, she has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in track and field, and as a result, she won first place in the 3,200-meter run with a time of 10:45.20 at this year's Division III State Meet; and

WHEREAS, Brittany Atkinson's accomplishments and leadership, both in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and a fine reflection not only on her but also on her family, her teammates, her coaches, her school, and her community. Her unwavering commitment to excellence has earned her the respect and esteem of many, and she is certainly worthy of high praise; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role in the total education of our young people, we are extremely pleased to pay tribute to Brittany Atkinson on an exemplary season. Indeed, the same maturity and experience she

has gained through her participation in track and field will greatly aid her in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Brittany Atkinson on her Division III State Championship and salute her as one of Ohio's finest young citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Brittany Atkinson.