

## As Adopted by the Senate

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**Senator Hite**

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### A RESOLUTION

Honoring Michaela Butler as a 2016 Division II State Track  
and Field Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend Michaela Butler on her  
exemplary performance in the 100- and 200-meter dashes at the 2016  
Division II State Track and Field Meet; and

WHEREAS, Michaela Butler's accomplishments are truly  
noteworthy, for she has clearly demonstrated her talent and  
perseverance, as well as her mental and physical fortitude as a  
runner. A senior at Liberty-Benton High School, she placed first  
in the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.98 seconds and the 200-  
meter dash with a time of 24.65 seconds, and she has exemplified  
all of the characteristics that are essential for success both in  
and out of the sports world, including courage, integrity, and an  
innate sense of the principles of good sportsmanship; and

WHEREAS, By developing such remarkable prowess, Michaela  
Butler 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, Running is an event that requires exceptional  
stamina and natural ability, and Michaela Butler is to be  
acknowledged for her commitment to this demanding activity. In  
attaining her athletic goals, she has certainly distinguished  
herself as a true champion; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud

Michaela Butler on her Division II State Track and Field	27
Championship titles and extend best wishes for the future; and be	28
it further	29
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly	30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Michaela Butler.	31