

As Adopted by the House

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H. R. No. 610

**Representative Sykes
Cosponsor: Representative Blessing**

A RESOLUTION

Honoring Hemma Svasti Bagley on winning a 2018 U.S.
Women's Open Chess Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Hemma 2
Svasti Bagley as the 2018 U.S. Women's Open Chess Champion in the 3
U1400 category; and 4

WHEREAS, A freshman at Firestone Community Learning Center, 5
Hemma Bagley has combined talent with competitive spirit to 6
establish herself as a truly exceptional chess player. With 7
admirable dedication, she has worked diligently toward attaining 8
ultimate proficiency in this beloved game, and for the second 9
consecutive year, she was victorious in the U1400 category at the 10
U.S. Women's Open Chess Championship, compiling an impressive 11
2.5 total points; and 12

WHEREAS, Hemma Bagley's accomplishments and leadership are a 13
justifiable source of pride, and she has consistently demonstrated 14
the talent, integrity, and motivation that are the hallmarks of a 15
true champion. Indeed, her unwavering commitment to excellence has 16
earned her this prestigious title, and she is certainly deserving 17
of high praise; and 18

WHEREAS, The same maturity and experience Hemma Bagley has 19
gained through her participation in chess will greatly aid her in 20
meeting the challenges that will arise in her lifetime. She is an 21
outstanding role model for her generation, and we look with 22
optimism to her bright, promising future; therefore be it 23

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 24

Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting	25
this Resolution, congratulate Hemma Svasti Bagley on her success	26
in chess and extend best wishes for the years to come; and be it	27
further	28
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives	29
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Hemma	30
Svasti Bagley.	31