

**As Adopted by the Senate**

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**S. R. No. 187**

**Senators Kunze, Bacon, Tavares**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring The Ohio State University men’s volleyball team  
as the 2017 National Collegiate Athletic Association  
Champions.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate The Ohio State  
University men’s volleyball team on winning the 2017 National  
Collegiate Athletic Association Championship; and

WHEREAS, The Ohio State University men’s volleyball team is,  
indeed, deserving of high praise for the impressive athletic gifts  
and the indomitable spirit that each member has displayed. The  
Buckeyes have successfully combined personal ability with the  
highest ideals of good sportsmanship to defeat a tough Brigham  
Young University team, capture their second consecutive NCAA  
Championship title, and finish the season with an impressive 32-2  
record; and

WHEREAS, The members of The Ohio State University men’s  
volleyball team have established themselves as a truly exceptional  
team, and they have emerged as winners both in and out of athletic  
competition. Coach Pete Hanson’s skill is reflected in their  
outstanding success, and due largely to his tireless efforts, he  
has earned the respect and admiration of all who know him; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important  
role in the total education of our young people, we are pleased to  
pay tribute to Coach Pete Hanson and The Ohio State University  
men’s volleyball team. In leading the Buckeyes to victory, he has  
not only helped each athlete to develop his talents to the fullest  
but also instilled in each a valuable sense of determination,  
perseverance, and camaraderie and it has paid handsome dividends.

The maturity and experience the players have gained through their 26  
participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the 27  
challenges of the future; therefore be it 28

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 29  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend The 30  
Ohio State University men's volleyball team as the 2017 National 31  
Collegiate Athletic Association Champions and salute all those who 32  
contributed to the success of this fine team; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 34  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to The Ohio State University 35  
men's volleyball team. 36