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A RESOLUTION

Honoring Zachary Hanus as a 2016 World Karate Kumite Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend Zachary Hanus on winning a gold medal in kumite at the 2016 World Union of Karate-Do Federations World Karate Championships; and

WHEREAS, A senior at Sycamore High School, a student at Nishime Karate, and a member of the U.S. national karate team, Zachary Hanus has combined talent and competitive spirit with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish himself as a truly exceptional athlete. With admirable dedication, he has worked diligently toward attaining ultimate proficiency in the martial arts, and as a result, he won a gold medal in kumite and a bronze medal in kata in the all belts 15 to 17 years open weight class at this year's WUKF World Karate Championships; and

WHEREAS, Zachary Hanus' accomplishments and leadership, both in and out of competition, are a justifiable source of pride and an outstanding reflection not only on him but also on his family, his teammates, his coaches, his gym, and his community. His unwavering commitment to excellence has earned him the respect and esteem of many, and he is certainly worthy of recognition; and

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important20role in the development of our young people, we are extremely21pleased to pay tribute to Zachary Hanus on his success. Indeed,22the same responsibility and experience he has gained through his23participation in karate will greatly aid him in meeting the24challenges of the future; therefore be it25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of

Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting	27
this Resolution, applaud Zachary Hanus for exemplary athletic	28
achievement and salute him as a fine young Ohioan; and be it	29
further	30
RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives	31
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Zachary	32
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