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A C O N C U R R E N T R E S O L U T I O N

To urge Congress to continue its efforts to fully repeal 1
the Affordable Care Act and to recommend that future 2
federal health care policies restore power to the 3
states, fund the Medicaid program through block grants 4
to individual states, and permit the sale of health 5
insurance across state lines. 6

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF
OHIO (THE SENATE CONCURRING):**

WHEREAS, As fellow Ohioans we share your concern for the 7
health and prosperity of the citizens, families, and businesses 8
of our great state; and 9

WHEREAS, The Affordable Care Act has led to double-digit 10
premium increases, loss of patient access to the health care 11
professionals who they choose and trust, and decision-making 12
being taken out of their hands and put into the hands of 13
government; and 14

WHEREAS, The Affordable Care Act has led to uncertainty 15
among health care professionals and providers about the future 16

of their professions; and 17

WHEREAS, The Affordable Care Act places burdensome 18
restrictions upon business owners that prevent them from growing 19
their companies and creating jobs; and 20

WHEREAS, The Affordable Care Act has affected Ohio's state 21
budget negatively, including through an expansion of the 22
Medicaid program that resulted in billions of dollars of 23
additional spending; and 24

WHEREAS, The Affordable Care Act is an unprecedented 25
federal overreach, stifling state-level solutions and innovation 26
that truly have the opportunity to empower patients and 27
providers in our state and increase the quality of life for all 28
Ohioans; and 29

WHEREAS, Congress recently voted to advance the cause of 30
the repeal of the Affordable Care Act and is to be commended for 31
that action; and 32

WHEREAS, The Tenth Amendment of the United States 33
Constitution enshrines the principles of federalism, a 34
cornerstone of our republic; now therefore be it 35

RESOLVED, We, the members of the 132nd Ohio General 36
Assembly, urge Congress to continue the work to quickly and 37
fully repeal the Affordable Care Act in its entirety; and be it 38
further 39

RESOLVED, We urge that any new federal health care policies 40
restore power to the states, and further recommend that Medicaid 41
be block granted to the states and that the sale of health 42
insurance be allowed across state lines; and be it further 43

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 44
transmit duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the 45
President of the United States, the Speaker and Clerk of the 46

United States House of Representatives, the President Pro	47
Tempore and Secretary of the United States Senate, and to each	48
member of the said Senate and House of Representatives from this	49
State.	50