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Representative Brenner

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A RESOLUTION

Designating School Choice Week in Ohio, January 22-28,
2017.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1
132nd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to designate January 2
22-28, 2017, as School Choice Week in Ohio; and 3

WHEREAS, All schools are faced with the challenges of 4
preparing young people to assume meaningful, productive roles in 5
our complex society. School Choice Week in Ohio will celebrate all 6
the variety of alternatives for education and draw attention to 7
the need for more prospects to become available and raise public 8
awareness of all the types of educational options available, 9
including online learning, home education, and traditional public, 10
public charter, magnet, and private schools. All these 11
institutions strive to provide quality education, contribute to 12
the statewide effort to improve education, and encourage community 13
and parental involvement, and their mission is to help students 14
establish a foundation upon which they can build a productive and 15
rewarding future; and 16

WHEREAS, Education is vital to our nation's continued 17
economic and social well-being, and as the need for global 18
learning and understanding increases, so do the demands placed 19
upon our system of education. Over the years, all of Ohio's school 20
options have striven to consistently and effectively meet these 21
demands; and 22

WHEREAS, Schools provide young people with much more than 23

basic educational skills, and by parents choosing from the 24
available choices, children learn the value of such important 25
qualities as cooperation, self-discipline, and perseverance in an 26
environment best suited for them. As they take part in this year's 27
School Choice Week celebration, students and staff can be justly 28
proud of their fine institution; therefore be it 29

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 30
Representatives of the 132nd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 31
this Resolution, designate January 22-28, 2017, as School Choice 32
Week in Ohio; and be it further 33

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 34
transmit duly authenticated copies of this Resolution to the news 35
media of Ohio. 36