

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 307**

**Senator Obhof**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Permitting the use of the Ohio Senate Chambers by the Ohio 1  
Junior State of America on November 11-12, 2017. 2

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General 3  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to learn that the Ohio Junior State 4  
of America has requested permission to use the Ohio Senate 5  
Chambers and four committee rooms during its annual Fall State 6  
Convention, November 11-12, 2017; and 7

WHEREAS, A beneficial educational organization, the Ohio 8  
Junior State of America provides students with the opportunity to 9  
better appreciate and understand government and its components. 10  
The knowledge gained through this event will certainly be of value 11  
to participants in the years to come; and 12

WHEREAS, Utilizing the facilities that accommodate those 13  
involved in the state legislative process, the Ohio Junior State 14  
of America, sponsored by The Junior Statesmen Foundation, will 15  
effectively offer students an accurate depiction of state 16  
government and the manner in which legislation is processed; and 17

WHEREAS, Through participation in the Ohio Junior State of 18  
America's annual Fall State Convention, students will be better 19  
prepared to become productive members of our complex and 20  
ever-changing society. The maturity and experience participants 21  
will gain through their involvement in this program will not only 22  
enrich their total educational experience but also enable them to 23  
make better-informed decisions as they assume the responsibilities 24  
of adult citizenship; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd 26  
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, grant the 27  
Ohio Junior State of America permission to use the Ohio Senate 28  
Chambers and its committee rooms for its 2017 Fall State 29  
Convention, contingent upon the availability of those facilities, 30  
and salute the participants as some of Ohio's finest young 31  
citizens; and be it further 32

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 33  
authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Ohio Junior State of 34  
America. 35