

**As Introduced**

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**S. R. No. 306**

**Senator Kunze**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Samrithy Balaji on placing first at the 2019  
Invention Convention U.S. Nationals.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General 1  
Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to 2  
Samrithy Balaji on winning first place in the second-grade 3  
category at the 2019 Invention Convention U.S. Nationals; and 4

WHEREAS, Samrithy Balaji has worked impressively to reach her 5  
potential, and she has demonstrated tremendous intuition and 6  
integrity. She placed first in the second-grade category at this 7  
year's Invention Convention U.S. Nationals with her entry, "De- 8  
Acidification System," and her project helps reduce the acidity of 9  
wastewater, thereby protecting the Earth and its water supplies 10  
from harm. Her invention shows potential beyond her years, and we 11  
anticipate great things in her future; and 12

WHEREAS, A student at Griffith Thomas Elementary School, 13  
Samrithy Balaji has shown great promise as part of the next 14  
generation of leaders, and her ambition, persistence, and 15  
ingenuity have won her a host of admirers. Indeed, she has 16  
distinguished herself among a select group of young people whose 17  
accomplishments merit praise; and 18

WHEREAS, Through her participation in such prestigious 19  
competitions, Samrithy Balaji has set a fine example for her 20  
peers. It is inspiring to witness fresh and innovative discoveries 21  
at such a young age, and we sincerely hope that this success 22  
encourages her to continue building on her record of excellence; 23  
therefore be it 24

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 25

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| General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud    | 26 |
| Samrithy Balaji on her inventiveness and look with optimism to a  | 27 |
| future that thrives as a result of her significant contributions; | 28 |
| and be it further   | 29 |
| RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly            | 30 |
| authenticated copy of this Resolution to Samrithy Balaji.         | 31 |