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Senator Terhar

Cosponsors: Senators Thomas, Wilson



A RESOLUTION

Honoring Rose Lavelle on receiving the 2019 FIFA Bronze Ball Award.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special recognition to Rose Lavelle on being presented with the 2019 Bronze Ball Award; and

WHEREAS, Rose Lavelle is deserving of this prestigious honor, for it is a tribute to the remarkable athletic gifts and indomitable spirit that she has so amply displayed as a member of the U.S. Women's National Soccer team. In the 2019 FIFA Women's World Cup final, she scored the second and final goal against the Netherlands, and her achievements were recognized with the 2019 FIFA Bronze Ball Award; and

WHEREAS, A tenacious competitor, Rose Lavelle can always be counted on to shine, and understandably, the strength, agility, stamina, and skill that she has exhibited have earned her many admirers. She has conscientiously applied herself to the quest for excellence as an athlete, training and practicing diligently, and she certainly rose to the occasion, maintaining her morale, composure, and good sportsmanship. She has truly gained the respect and esteem not only of her home state but of our entire nation; and

WHEREAS, Soccer is an event that requires exceptional speed, power, and natural ability, and Rose Lavelle is to be commended for her commitment to this demanding activity. Clearly, she has consistently demonstrated the talent, dedication, and integrity that are the hallmarks of a true champion, and we anticipate a

bright future for her in this sport; therefore be it 25

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 133rd 26
General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud 27
Rose Lavelle for outstanding athletic achievement and salute her 28
as one of Ohio's finest citizens; and be it further 29

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly 30
authenticated copy of this Resolution to Rose Lavelle. 31