Representative Powell

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A R E S O L U T I O N

Honoring Brian Dean
on receiving the 2022 USPTA Bob Ryland Diversity Award.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 134th 1
General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Brian Dean on   2
being presented with the 2022 Bob Ryland Diversity Award from the   3
United States Professional Tennis Association; and   4

WHEREAS, A remarkable individual, Brian Dean has demonstrated   5
tremendous integrity and dedication in his work to ensure wheelchair   6
players are given the same opportunities as their peers to experience   7
the joy of the game. A coach for several wheelchair tennis events and   8
camps, he not only encouraged his players to develop their talents to   9
the fullest but also instilled in each a valuable sense of   10
determination, perseverance, camaraderie, and spirit, and as a result, 11
he has been recognized with this accolade; and   12

WHEREAS, The expertise, guidance, and sound judgment of coaches   13
such as Brian Dean are critical to the ultimate success of any   14
athletic endeavor. Due largely to his tireless efforts, his athletes   15
have emerged as winners, both in and out of competition, and his   16
fantastic work has made a difference in many lives; and   17

WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important role   18
in the total education of our young people, we are pleased to pay   19
tribute to Brian Dean for a job well done. His outstanding rapport and 20
his conscientious efforts are a model we could all follow, and he is   21
certainly deserving of high praise; therefore be it   22

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of   23
the 134th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution,   24
commend Brian Dean on receiving the Bob Ryland Diversity Award and   25

extend best wishes for the future; and be it further   26

    RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit 27
a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Brian Dean.   28