

**SENATE RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_**

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DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring Kenneth Weaver for helping a student and his sibling escape from a house fire during his virtual class.

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**FORD J.D.**

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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1           A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring Kenneth Weaver for  
2 helping a student and his sibling escape a house fire during his  
3 virtual class.

4           *Whereas, On Wednesday, January 20, 2021, Kenneth*  
5 *Weaver, a physical education teacher at Saint Anthony Catholic*  
6 *School in Indianapolis, Indiana, helped save a student and his*  
7 *sibling from a house fire;*

8           *Whereas, Mr. Weaver had agreed to step in for a fellow*  
9 *teacher during a virtual class session, when suddenly a 10-*  
10 *year-old student told Weaver that he had to leave the class*  
11 *because his house was on fire, then turned his camera to show*  
12 *Weaver the fire;*

13           *Whereas, Weaver quickly instructed the child to get*  
14 *everyone out of the house and call 911, and followed up by*  
15 *calling 911 himself to ensure that help was on the way;*

16           *Whereas, A mere four minutes after Weaver's call to 911,*  
17 *the Wayne Township Fire Department arrived at the scene and*  
18 *had the fire under control within minutes;*



1           *Whereas, Weaver's quick thinking and calm demeanor*  
2           *helped guide the child and their sibling to safety, ensuring that*  
3           *there were no injuries in the fire and that minimal damage was*  
4           *done to the home; and*

5           *Whereas, An outstanding teacher, Weaver's skills go*  
6           *beyond the classroom and gym, and his heroic actions*  
7           *prevented a potential catastrophe from happening: Therefore,*

8                           *Be it resolved by the Senate of the*  
9                           *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

10           SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate honors Kenneth  
11           Weaver for helping a student and his sibling escape a house  
12           fire.

13           SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed  
14           to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Kenneth Weaver.

