SENATE RESOLUTION No.

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating Elliot Cox for his successes on and off the racetrack and transition into the USF2000 Championship racing series.

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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating Elliot Cox for 1 his successes on and off the racetrack and transition into the 2 USF2000 Championship racing series. 3

Whereas, Fifteen-year-old Indianapolis native Elliot Cox is 4 a decorated race car driver who has been selected to be behind 5 the wheel of the Number 67 Sarah Fisher Hartman Racing 6 entry for all eighteen rounds of the 2023 USF2000 Program, 7 which is just below the Indy Car Series; 8

Whereas, Elliot's love for racing began in the Fall of 2012, 9 when his grandfather took Elliot to buy his first kart, after 10 which Elliot accomplished his first win at New Castle 11 Motorsports Park at the age of five, and has continued to excel 12 as his career has progressed; 13

Whereas, Elliot's recent major racing accomplishments 14 15 include being the 2020 Whiteland Raceway Park Champion in the KA100 Junior Class, 2021 Whiteland Raceway Park 16 Champion in the KA100 Senior Class, third in points for the 17 2022 USF Juniors YACademy Winter Series, 2022 Winner of 18 the USF Juniors YACademy Winter Series Homestead Race 2, 19 and obtaining the 2022 track record at Homestead Motor 20



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1 Speedway for F4 Cars;

2 Whereas, Following his first and only season in the USF 3 Juniors, Elliot continued to make an enormous impression on 4 and off the track, finishing 11th overall while only running a 5 partial season and solidifying Sarah Fisher Hartman Racing's 6 decision to move Elliot upwards into the USF2000 series for 7 2023;

8 Whereas, Off the racetrack, Elliot continues to set an 9 example through a number of initiatives, including his 10 nonprofit, Driving for Dyslexia, which has used motorsports as 11 a platform to raise over \$250,000 to aid dyslexia-related 12 causes;

Whereas, Throughout his time racing, Elliot also excels in
the classroom as a 10th-grade honor roll student, volunteers
with A Kid Again and Alex's Lemonade Stand, and speaks in
schools and at camps with the Joseph Maley Foundation about
his journey to success while having dyslexia; and

18 Whereas, Elliot continues to set a tremendous example for 19 the next generation of Hoosiers as he moves closer to realizing 20 his ultimate dream of being the youngest person to ever 21 compete in the Indianapolis 500, "The Greatest Spectacle in 22 Racing": Therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate congratulates Elliot
 Cox for his continued successes on and off the racetrack and
 transition into the USF2000 Championship racing series.
 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
 to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Elliot Cox.



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