

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing Indiana Dance Company's performers in the America's Clogging All-Stars historical performance during the 2019 London New Year's Day Parade.

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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1 A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing Indiana Dance
2 Company's performers in the America's Clogging All-Stars
3 historical performance during the 2019 London New Year's Day
4 Parade.

5 *Whereas, Indiana Dance Company is a national award*
6 *winning studio located in Bloomington, Indiana. Their mission*
7 *is to make each dancer confident and empowered, while*
8 *helping them reach their full potential as a dancer and an*
9 *individual;*

10 *Whereas, The directors of the PowerTaps clogging team,*
11 *Ryan Rickard and Marci Rickard, invited dancers from the*
12 *Indiana Dance Company to join the America's Clogging*
13 *All-Stars, in order to create a performance comprised of the*
14 *very best cloggers they could find for the 2019 London New*
15 *Year's Day Parade. Clogging is a type of dance involving*
16 *synchronizing movements within a group formation, partner*
17 *turns, precise footwork, and coordinated arm and head*
18 *movements;*

19 *Whereas, America's Clogging All-Stars consists of cloggers*
20 *from the best teams across the United States. This year,*

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1 *ninety-two cloggers from the United States had the opportunity*
2 *to entertain the largest parade audience in the world in the*
3 *2019 London New Year's Day Parade;*

4 *Whereas, The following dancers from Indiana Dance*
5 *Company performed as part of America's Clogging All-Stars:*
6 *Lyndsey Grayelin, Kenzie Jacobs, Mandy Nethery, Kelsey*
7 *Shuck, and Maddie Wright;*

8 *Whereas, The group spent six days in London, performing*
9 *at media day in Trafalgar Square, Cadogan Hall, and at the*
10 *pre-parade kick-off ceremony. The parade route went through*
11 *Piccadilly Circus, Regent Street, Trafalgar Square and*
12 *Whitehall, ending near Big Ben and Westminster. An estimated*
13 *600,000 spectators watched in person while another three*
14 *million tuned in on TV and live stream; and*

15 *Whereas, The Lord Mayor of Westminster, Steve Summers,*
16 *stated that their performance was undoubtedly one of the*
17 *parade's highlights, and that London loved them: Therefore,*

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

20 SECTION 1. That the Indiana State Senate recognizes America's
21 Clogging All-Stars, particularly those members from Indiana Dance
22 Company.

23 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
24 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Indiana Dance Company.

