

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating the Pleasant Run Elementary School "Panther Bots" robotics team on winning the regional challenge.

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_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1 A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating the Pleasant
2 Run Elementary School "Panther Bots" robotics team on
3 winning the regional challenge.

4 *Whereas, On February 2, 2017, the Pleasant Run*
5 *Elementary School "Panther Bots" robotics team won the*
6 *robotics challenge at Plainfield High School;*

7 *Whereas, Nearly 35 schools competed in this robotics*
8 *challenge, and the participating elementary school teams came*
9 *from more than 20 communities around Indianapolis;*

10 *Whereas, The regional champion Pleasant Run Elementary*
11 *School Panther Bots team consists of fourth graders Elijah*
12 *Goodwin, Angel Herrera-Sanchez, Jose Verastegui, Manuel*
13 *Mendez, and Devilyn Bolyard;*

14 *Whereas, These five students were selected by their*
15 *teachers to represent Pleasant Run Elementary School in its*
16 *first robotics competition because they exhibited potential,*
17 *integrity, and leadership qualities in the classroom;*

18 *Whereas, The Panther Bots entered the regional robotics*



1 *challenge as the rookies, and they left as the victors;*

2 *Whereas, On February 2, 2017, the Pleasant Run Panther*
3 *Bots won the entire regional championship and were one step*
4 *closer to the Vex IQ State Championship;*

5 *Whereas, Not only did they win the regional challenge on*
6 *February 2, but three weeks later, the Panther Bots won the*
7 *Create Award for best robot design and engineering at the state*
8 *championship, which qualified them for the Vex IQ World*
9 *Championship in Louisville, Kentucky, where they will compete*
10 *with students from all over the world; and*

11 *Whereas, It is fitting that the Indiana General Assembly*
12 *congratulates the Pleasant Run Elementary School Panther*
13 *Bots robotics team on winning the regional challenge:*
14 *Therefore,*

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

17 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate congratulates the
18 Pleasant Run Elementary School Panther Bots robotics team on
19 winning the regional robotics challenge.

20 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
21 to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Elijah Goodwin, Angel
22 Herrera-Sanchez, Jose Verastegui, Manuel Mendez, Devilyn
23 Bolyard, Lisa Hopper, and Nicole Oliver.

