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A RESOLUTION

Honoring the Sycamore High School boys tennis team on winning the 2015 Division I State Championship.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate the Sycamore High School boys tennis team as the 2015 Division I State Champion; and

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of Coach Mike Teets, the Sycamore High School boys tennis team has proven to be a talented and superbly conditioned squad and has gained the respect of fans and opponents alike for the spirited and highly motivated play of its members. Throughout the season, each player worked diligently to improve his skills, and as a result, the Aviators defeated a tough Jackson team and brought home the Division I State Championship crown; and

WHEREAS, Known as a driven and determined team, the Aviators have developed into a remarkably efficient group of athletes whose skill on the court is equaled only by their exemplary display of teamwork and sportsmanship. The members, Deepak Indrakanti, Nakul Narendran, Alex Wittenbaum, Aditya Venkitarama, Alex Taylor, Noah Stern, Regis Liou, and Nathan Zhang, are a credit not only to their families and their school but also to the superb coaching of their mentor, Mike Teets; and

WHEREAS, The road to victory and a championship title is a difficult one, requiring ability, endurance, teamwork, and a

positive attitude on the part of players and coaches alike. The members of the Sycamore High School boys tennis team have exemplified all of the characteristics that are essential for success both in and out of competition, including courage, discipline, integrity, and good sportsmanship, and their efforts have earned them the admiration of all those who have witnessed these outstanding athletes in action; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of Representatives of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, applaud the Sycamore High School boys tennis team on winning the 2015 Division I State Championship and commend all those associated with this exceptional squad; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Sycamore High School boys tennis team.