## As Adopted by the Senate

## 132nd General Assembly Regular Session 2017-2018

S. R. No. 236

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## Senators Kunze, Bacon, Tavares

## **A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Sergei Bobrovsky on receiving the 2017 NHL Vezina Trophy.

| WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 132nd General            | 1  |
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| Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Sergei Bobrovsky on   | 2  |
| being presented with the Vezina Trophy as the top goaltender in    | 3  |
| the National Hockey League; and                                    | 4  |
| WHEREAS, The goaltender for the Columbus Blue Jackets, Sergei      | 5  |
| Bobrovsky has combined talent and competitive spirit with the      | 6  |
| highest ideals of good sportsmanship to establish himself as a     | 7  |
| truly exceptional athlete. With admirable dedication, he has       | 8  |
| worked diligently to attain ultimate proficiency in hockey, and as | 9  |
| a result, he accumulated a .932 save percentage, a 2.06 goals      | 10 |
| against average, and 41 wins during the 2016-2017 season, was      | 11 |
| named to the NHL All-Star first team, and received the NHL Vezina  | 12 |
| Trophy; and  | 13 |
| WHEREAS, Sergei Bobrovsky's accomplishments and leadership,        | 14 |
| both in and out of athletic competition, are a justifiable source  | 15 |
| of pride and an excellent reflection not only on him but also on   | 16 |
| his family, his teammates, and his coaches. His unwavering         | 17 |
| commitment to excellence has earned him these well-deserved        | 18 |
| honors, and he is certainly worthy of high praise; and             | 19 |
| WHEREAS, With athletic competition playing such an important       | 20 |
| part in the development of role models for our young people, we    | 21 |
| are extremely pleased to pay tribute to Sergei Bobrovsky on his    | 22 |
| attainments. Indeed, the pride and experience he has gained        | 23 |
| through his participation in sports will greatly aid him in        | 24 |
| meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it              | 25 |

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 132nd

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| General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend  | 27       |
| Sergei Bobrovsky on his recent accolades and extend best wishes   | 28       |
| for continued success; and be it further  | 29       |
| RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Sergei Bobrovsky. | 30<br>31 |