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**S. R. No. 60**

**Senator Patton**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring the Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School gymnastics team as the 2015 State Champion.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to commend the Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School gymnastics team on placing first at the 2015 State Championship; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School gymnastics team are excellent young individuals, and they have established themselves as truly exceptional athletes. This season, the Bees secured the State Championship, their twelfth consecutive state title and their fifteenth such title in school history. The unwavering commitment of the participants has earned them this prestigious distinction, and we applaud them on their tremendous efforts; and

WHEREAS, The achievements and leadership of the Bees are a justifiable source of pride and an excellent reflection on them, their families, their school, their community, and their coach, Joan Ganim. The success of any athletic endeavor depends largely on the ability of the coaches to provide both guidance and inspiration, and in leading their team to victory, Coach Ganim and her assistants have not only helped each gymnast to develop her talents to the fullest, but they have also instilled in each a valuable sense of determination, perseverance, camaraderie, and school spirit; and

WHEREAS, In an educational system that seeks to teach the future leaders of our state and nation the fundamentals of self-reliance and the rewards of individual and group effort, athletic competition has become a valuable educational tool. The maturity and experience the Bees have gained through participation in sports will greatly aid them in meeting the challenges of the future; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 131st General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, pay tribute to the Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School gymnastics team as the 2015 State Champion and salute all those who contributed to the success of this fine squad; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to the Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School gymnastics team.