

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

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Whereas, the State of Indiana was proudly represented by athletes and coaches in eight different sports: diving, track and field, gymnastics, fencing, soccer, volleyball, field hockey and basketball;

Whereas, the twenty-six Hoosier Olympic participants and coaches:

*Lloy Ball, Volleyball
Kayla Bashore, Field Hockey
David Boudia, Diving
Shannon Boxx, Soccer
Kelci Bryant, Diving
Amber Campbell, Track and Field
Tamika Catchings, Basketball
Wenbo Chen, Diving
Lauren Cheney, Soccer
Leroy Dixon, Track and Field
Mary Beth Dunnichay, Diving
Thomas Finchum, Diving
Kelley Hurley, Fencing
Haley Ishimatsu, Diving
Christina Loukas, Diving*



*Kate Markgraf, Soccer
Gerek Meinhardt, Fencing
David Neville, Track and Field
Kara Patterson, Track and Field
Samantha Peszek, Gymnastics
Ariel Rittenhouse, Diving
Bridget Sloan, Gymnastics
Aarik Wilson, Track and Field
John Wingfield, Diving
Amy Yoder-Begley, Track and Field
Mariel Zagunis, Fencing*

spent countless hours training and preparing for the most honored athletic competition in history;

Whereas, eight Hoosier athletes, including David Neville, Samantha Peszek, Bridget Sloan, Mariel Zagunis, Shannon Boxx, Lauren Cheney, Kate Markgraf and Tamika Catchings, won Olympic medals in their respective sports, an honor reserved for the top athletes in the world;

Whereas, two Hoosier athletes, David Neville and Mariel Zagunis, won multiple medals in their respective sports, a true feat of strength and ability; and

Whereas, all Hoosier Olympic athletes and coaches showed great determination, tenacity and strength in Beijing while representing the State of Indiana: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates all
2 Hoosier Olympic athletes and coaches who competed in the 2008
3 Summer Olympics in Beijing, China.

4 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
5 transmit a copy of this Resolution to David Boudia, Kelci Bryant, Mary
6 Beth Dunnichay, Thomas Finchum, Haley Ishimatsu, Christina Loukas,



1 Ariel Rittenhouse, John Wingfield, Wenbo Chen, Amy Yoder-Begley,
2 Amber Campbell, Leroy Dixon, David Neville, Kara Patterson, Aarik
3 Wilson, Samantha Peszek, Bridget Sloan, Kelley Hurley, Gerek
4 Meinhardt, Mariel Zagunis, Shannon Boxx, Lauren Cheney, Kate
5 Markgraf, Lloy Ball, Kayla Bashore and Tamika Catchings.

