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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating E.J. Franskevicz for special recognition upon being selected to the Student Athlete All-Academic Team by the New England Football Conference

WHEREAS, Athletic competition enhances the moral and physical development of the young people of this State, preparing them for the future by instilling in them the value of teamwork, encouraging a standard of healthy living, imparting a desire for success and developing a sense of fair play and competition; and

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to act, in accord with its long-standing traditions, to honor the achievements of its young citizens and leaders of tomorrow, whose character and accomplishments exemplify the ideals and values cherished by this great State and nation; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate E.J.

Franskevicz for special recognition upon being selected to the Student

Athlete All-Academic Team by the New England Football Conference; and

WHEREAS, Academically and athletically, E.J. Franskevicz has distinguished himself as a young man of superlative ability, talent, and maturity, establishing standards of excellence and achievement, purposefulness of life, and responsibility rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, The son of Dave and Bev Franskevicz, sophomore E.J. Franskevicz is majoring in engineering at Western New England University; he has achieved two consecutive 4.0 grade point averages in the past two semesters; and

WHEREAS, E.J. Franskevicz has made significant contributions to the Golden Bears football team during its 2013 season; he has brought honor to his family, school, and community; and WHEREAS, This remarkable Student Athlete may stand with pride in his

achievements, experiencing the satisfaction of his labors and the joy of his accomplishments, eager to face the challenge of new experiences in his future; and

WHEREAS, E.J. Franskevicz's hard work and determination represents the potential inherent in our most precious resource, our youth; this Legislative Body is pleased to honor this young man, recognizing his achievements and the promise of his future; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate E.J. Franskevicz for special recognition upon being selected to the Student Athlete All-Academic Team by the New England Football Conference, and to wish him well in his future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to E.J. Franskevicz.