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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION congratulating the East Islip Varsity Boys Bowling Team and Head Coach Bob Cheadle upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Championship

WHEREAS, Excellence and success in competitive sports can be achieved only through strenuous practice, team play and team spirit, nurtured by dedicated coaching and strategic planning; and 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, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its longstanding traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate the East Islip Varsity Boys Bowling Team and Head Coach Bob Cheadle upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Championship on Saturday, March 7, 2015, in Syracuse, New York; and WHEREAS, The East Islip Varsity Boys Bowling Team rallied from a third place standing to win the New York State Championship with an impressive 1,084 points, in the sixth and final game to win by 171 pins; and WHEREAS, The athletic talent displayed by this team is due in great part to the efforts of Head Coach Bob Cheadle, a skilled and inspirational tutor, respected for his ability to develop potential into excellence; and WHEREAS, The team's overall record, 14-0, is outstanding, and the team members were loyally and enthusiastically supported by family, fans, friends and the community at large; and WHEREAS, The hallmarks of the East Islip Varsity Boys Bowling Team,

from the opening game of the season to participation in the champion-

ship, were a brotherhood of athletic ability, of good sportsmanship, of honor and of scholarship, demonstrating that these team players are second to none; and

WHEREAS, Athletically and academically, the team members have proven themselves to be an unbeatable combination of talents, reflecting favorably on their school; and

WHEREAS, Head Coach Bob Cheadle has done a superb job in guiding, molding and inspiring the team members toward their goals; and WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Head Coach Bob Cheadle and these outstanding athletes have clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of their school; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate the East Islip Varsity Boys Bowling Team; its members: Vincent Altman, Matthew Amin, Nicholas DeFazio, Craig Griffith, John Kavanaugh, Michael Orobello, Justin Orobello, Anthony Riggi, Michael Riolo, Nickolas Salentino, David Sherman, James Spina, and Matthew Waldron; and Head Coach Bob Cheadle on their outstanding season and overall team record; and be it further RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be tran-

smitted to the East Islip Varsity Boys Bowling Team, and Head Coach Bob Cheadle.