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Senate Resolution No. 2910

BY: Senator JACOBS

CONGRATULATING student-athlete Shayla Scanlan upon the occasion of being named Prep Talk Player of the Year in Girls Lacrosse by The Buffalo News

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, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize our young individuals, who strive for athletic and academic excellence through rigorous training and mental and physical discipline; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to congratulate student-athlete Shayla Scanlan upon the occasion of being named Prep Talk Player of the Year in Girls Lacrosse by The Buffalo News celebrated at its Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, June 14, 2017, at the Hyatt Regency Buffalo Hotel and Conference Center in Buffalo, New York; WHEREAS, An integral part of the Lake Shore High School Girls Varsity Lacrosse Team, senior Shayla Scanlan has displayed tremendous hard work, outstanding athletic skill, and exemplary sportsmanship to receive this prestigious honor; and

WHEREAS, Shayla Scanlan was one of the top scorers in the region as she led the Eagles to an appearance in the Far West Regionals; she finished her varsity career with 244 goals and 151 assists; and

WHEREAS, This incredibly talented athlete was a member of the 2017 New York State Class C Section VI Championship Lacrosse Team; and

WHEREAS, After graduation, Shayla Scanlan plans to major in Law at the University of Louisville; and

WHEREAS, Sports competition instills the values of teamwork, pride and accomplishment, and Shayla Scanlan has clearly made a contribution to the spirit of excellence which is a tradition of her school; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to congratulate student-athlete Shayla Scanlan upon the occasion of being named Prep Talk Player of the Year in Girls Lacrosse by The Buffalo News, and to wish her continued success in all her future endeavors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Shayla Scanlan.