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Senate Resolution No. 2913

BY: Senator JACOBS

HONORING Ian Hayes upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Kenny Award's Best Actor in a Leading Role for his part as Prince Eric in Frontier High School's production of Disney's "The Little Mermaid"

WHEREAS, It is the intent of this Legislative Body to commend and pay tribute to those young people who, by achieving outstanding success in the arts, have inspired and brought pride to our majestic Empire State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to honor lan Hayes upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Kenny Award's Best Actor in a Leading Role Award for his role as Prince Eric in Frontier High School's production of Disney's "The Little Mermaid"; and

WHEREAS, Established in 1993, the Kenny Awards were created in honor of the late Dr. Ken Lipke, the founder of Gibraltar Steel, to honor and recognize the talent, hard work and dedication of students across Western New York; and

WHEREAS, A young man of singular distinction, lan Hayes has

distinguished himself as a young man of superlative ability, establishing a high standard of excellence and purposefulness of life rarely achieved in youthful years; and

WHEREAS, Ian Hayes will be representing Frontier and Western New York on Monday, June 26, 2017, at the Minskoff Theater in New York City, competing against 74 other students for the Jimmy Award; and

WHEREAS, Ian Hayes, in achieving this high honor, may take just pride in the inspiration and contribution to the spirit of excellence he brings to his family, friends, community and school; and

WHEREAS, This occasion presents an opportunity for this Legislative Body to wish Ian Hayes continued success throughout his school years and beyond; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor lan Hayes upon the occasion of his designation as recipient of the Kenny Award's Best Actor in a Leading Role for his part as Prince Eric in Frontier High School's production of Disney's "The Little Mermaid"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to lan Hayes.