

SENATOR HUGHES

*Honoring Shannon Saunders Eaton
as the 2009 National Easter Seals Child Representative.*

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to pay tribute to Shannon Saunders Eaton on being named the 2009 National Child Representative for Easter Seals; and

WHEREAS, An intelligent and motivated young woman, Shannon Eaton has developed her knowledge and skills and has striven to meet challenges with enthusiasm and confidence. Born with cerebral palsy, she has overcome many physical obstacles with the help of her family and the support of Easter Seals. A fourth-grade student, she has displayed an exceptional willingness to work hard to attain superior results, and through her unfaltering devotion, she has been selected as this year's Easter Seals National Child Representative; and

WHEREAS, The achievements of Shannon Eaton are a justifiable source of pride not only for her but also for her family and friends and for her community. She has shown a sincere desire to fully develop her talents so that she might fulfill her goals in the future, and this, coupled with her maturity and initiative, shows her potential to become one of tomorrow's leaders; and

WHEREAS, Never content to take a passive role in life, Shannon Eaton has derived extra energy from her many activities and accomplishments, and her integrity and steadfast determination are truly admirable. Indeed, her amiable demeanor will carry her far beyond this role and will be of great value to her in the years to come; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Shannon Saunders Eaton on her recent honor and extend best wishes for continued happiness and fulfillment; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Shannon Saunders Eaton.

I, Vincent L. Keeran, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution No. 25, adopted by the Ohio Senate, March 25, 2009.

*Vincent L. Keeran
Clerk of the Senate*

*Senator Bill Harris
President of the Senate*

*Senator Jim Hughes
Senatorial District No. 16*