SENATOR STEWART

Honoring Israel Urieli as the recipient of a 2010 Faculty Innovator Award.

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to congratulate Israel Urieli on being presented with a 2010 Faculty Innovator Award by the Ohio Board of Regents; and

WHEREAS, Israel Urieli is certainly deserving of this tribute for developing an open-source web-based resource for his students to study the field of thermodynamics. Few can rival either his excellence in the classroom or the intensity of his allegiance to Ohio University, where he is an associate professor of mechanical engineering; and

WHEREAS, Israel Urieli has won a host of admirers by fulfilling his responsibilities with the utmost competence, efficiency, integrity, and enthusiasm. Those who have been privileged to know him professionally can attest to his extraordinary vision and vitality, and he can be proud that his unflagging commitment has inspired many of his colleagues to dedicate themselves similarly; and

WHEREAS, Our society needs educators who strive to instill in their students a love of learning, an appetite for discovery, and even a new way of looking at the world. By so earnestly pursuing these worthy objectives, Israel Urieli has gained the respect and appreciation of the entire community; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 128th General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting this Resolution, commend Israel Urieli on his recent accolade and extend best wishes for ongoing success; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Israel Urieli.

I, Vincent L. Keeran, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Senate Resolution No. 236, adopted by the Ohio Senate, May 25, 2010.

Vincent L. Keeran Clerk of the Senate

Senator Bill Harris President of the Senate

Senator Jimmy Stewart Senate District 20