

S. RES. 40

Congratulating the University of Akron men's soccer team on winning the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Soccer Championship.

Whereas on December 12, 2010, the University of Akron men's soccer team, known as the Zips, won the National Collegiate Athletic Association College Cup in Santa Barbara, California and became the first team to win a national title in the history of the University of Akron;

Whereas with the victory over the previously undefeated and top-ranked University of Louisville Cardinals, the 2010 University of Akron men's soccer team finished its historic championship season with a record of 22 wins, 1 loss, and 2 draws;

Whereas the 2010 University of Akron men's soccer team has become a symbol of pride and success to the University of Akron and the communities in Northeast Ohio surrounding the University of Akron;

Whereas the athletic program of the University of Akron encourages student-athletes to compete on the field, complete degrees in the classroom, and become contributing members of society;

Whereas each year, University of Akron student-athletes and coaches participate in community service activities;

Whereas the head coach of the University of Akron men's soccer team, Caleb Porter, has won 1 national title and taken the men's soccer team to 2 national championship games in the 2 years prior to date of the approval of this resolution;

Whereas associate head coach Jared Embick, assistant coach Oliver Slawson, and volunteer assistant coach Liam Curran played an important role in coaching the University of Akron men's soccer team;

Whereas midfielder Scott Caldwell was named the most outstanding offensive player of the College Cup;

Whereas defender Kofi Sarkodie was named the most outstanding defensive player of the College Cup;

Whereas forward and midfielder Darlington Nagbe is a finalist for the Hermann Trophy, which is awarded to the best men's collegiate soccer player in the United States;

Whereas 44 members of the University of Akron men's soccer team have been named All-Americans, including 2 members from the 2010 season, defender Kofi Sarkodie and forward and midfielder Darlington Nagbe;

Whereas 12 members of the University of Akron men's soccer team have been named Academic All-Americans, including 4 members from the 2010 season—defender Kofi Sarkodie, defender Chad Barson, goalkeeper David Meves, and midfielder Anthony Ampaipitakwong;

Whereas the 2010 University of Akron men's soccer team was comprised of—

(1) 3 seniors—midfielder Anthony Ampaipitakwong, defender Chris Korb, and defender Enrique Paez;

(2) 5 juniors—midfielder Michael Balogun, midfielder and defender Matt Dagilis, forward and midfielder Darlington Nagbe, midfielder Michael Nanchoff, and defender Kofi Sarkodie;

(3) 7 sophomores—defender Chad Barson, midfielder Scott Caldwell, goalkeeper David Meves, goalkeeper Anthony Ponikvar, forward Thomas Schmitt, midfielder Ben Speas, and defender Zarek Valentin; and

(4) 9 freshmen—midfielder Reinaldo Brenes, forward Richard Diaz, Jr., forward Gabriel Genovesi, midfielder Perry Kitchen, forward Darren Mattocks, goalkeeper Andrian McAdams, midfielder Martin Ontiveros, midfielder Eric Stevenson, and forward McKauly Tulloch;

Whereas 11 members of the 2010 University of Akron men's soccer team hail from the State of Ohio; and

Whereas the University of Akron men's soccer team should be praised for its historic season of both athletic and academic accomplishments: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) congratulates the University of Akron men's soccer team on winning the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Soccer Championship;

(2) recognizes the athletic program of the University of Akron for encouraging student-athletes to achieve in both sports and academics; and

(3) requests the Secretary of the Senate to transmit an enrolled copy of this resolution for appropriate display to—

(A) the University of Akron;

(B) Dr. Luis M. Proenza, the President of the University of Akron; and

(C) Caleb Porter, the head coach of the University of Akron men's soccer team.

APPOINTMENTS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair announces, on behalf of the majority leader, pursuant to the provisions of S. Res. 105, adopted April 13, 1989, as amended by S. Res. 149 adopted, October 5, 1993, as amended by Public Law 105-275, adopted October 21, 1998, further amended by S. Res. 75, adopted March 25 1999, amended by S. Res. 383, adopted October 27, 2000, and amended by S. Res. 355, adopted November 13, 2002, and further amended by S. Res. 480, adopted November 21, 2004, further amended by S. Res. 625, adopted December 6, 2006, and further amended by S. Res. 715, adopted November 28, 2008, and amended by S. Res. 706, adopted December 22, 2010, the appointment of the following Senators as members of the Senate National Security Working Group for the 112th Congress: the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE), who will serve in his capacity as President pro tempore of the Senate; the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) as Democratic Co-Chairman; the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) as Democratic Co-Chairman; the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) as Democratic Co-Chairman; the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN); the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON); the Senator from Maryland (Mr. CARDIN); the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. CASEY), and the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) as Majority Administrative Co-Chairman.

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 83-420, as amended by Public Law 99-371, appoints the Senator from Ohio (Mr. BROWN) to the Board of Trustees of Gallaudet University.

The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 96-388, as amended by Public Law 97-84 and Public Law 106-292, appoints and reappoints the following Senators to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council for the 112th Congress: the Honorable FRANK R. LAUTENBERG of New Jersey (reappointment); the Honorable BERNARD SANDERS of Vermont

(reappointment); and the Honorable RICHARD J. DURBIN of Illinois (appointment).

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 94-304, as amended by Public Law 99-7, appoints the following Senators as members of the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe during the 112th Congress: the Honorable BENJAMIN L. CARDIN of Maryland (Co-Chairman); the Honorable SHELDON WHITEHOUSE of Rhode Island; the Honorable TOM UDALL of New Mexico; the Honorable JEANNE SHAHEEN of New Hampshire, and the Honorable RICHARD BLUMENTHAL of Connecticut.

The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276n, appoints the following Senator as Chairman of the U.S.-China Interparliamentary Group conference during the 112th Congress: the Honorable PATTY MURRAY of Washington.

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Section 5 of Title I of Division H of Public Law 110-161, appoints the following Senator as Chairman of the U.S.-Japan Interparliamentary Group conference for the 112th Congress: the Honorable DANIEL K. INOUE of Hawaii.

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276h-276k, as amended, appoints the following Senator as Chairman of the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group conference for the 112th Congress: the Honorable TOM UDALL of New Mexico.

The Chair, on behalf of the majority leader, pursuant to section 154 of Public Law 108-199, appoints the following Senator as Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the U.S.-Russia Interparliamentary Group conference during the 112th Congress: the Honorable E. BENJAMIN NELSON of Nebraska.

The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, and upon the recommendation of the majority leader, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2761, as amended, appoints the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) as Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the British-American Interparliamentary Group conference during the 112th Congress.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2011

Mr. ROCKEFELLER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, February 3; that following the prayer and the pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and following any leader remarks, the Senate resume consideration of Calendar No. 5, S. 223, the Federal Aviation Administration authorization bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.