## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 405

Session of 2017

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, JUNE 16, 2017

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating the Pittsburgh Penguins on winning the National 2 Hockey League's 2017 Stanley Cup Finals.
- 3 WHEREAS, On June 11, 2017, and for the second year in a row,
- 4 the Pittsburgh Penguins won the Stanley Cup championship; and
- 5 WHEREAS, The Pittsburgh Penguins defeated the Nashville
- 6 Predators 2-0 in Game 6 of the Stanley Cup Finals; and
- 7 WHEREAS, With 1 minute 35 seconds left in the third period,
- 8 Patric Hornqvist delivered the decisive shot when Justin
- 9 Schultz's volley bounced off the boards behind the goal and
- 10 Hornqvist snatched the rebound, knocking the puck in off of
- 11 Nashville goaltender Pekka Rinne; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Carl Hagelin scored a bonus empty-netter; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Sidney Crosby was awarded the Conn Smythe Trophy as
- 14 the most valuable player of the 2017 NHL playoffs; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Sidney Crosby won his third career Stanley Cup

- 1 championship, adding to his illustrious professional hockey
- 2 career that also includes two Olympic gold medals, a world
- 3 hockey championship and all of the NHL's major awards; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The Pittsburgh Penguins earned their 11th
- 5 consecutive playoff appearance during the 2016-2017 NHL season;
- 6 and
- WHEREAS, Under the leadership of Mario Lemieux and Ron
- 8 Burkle, the Pittsburgh Penguins have become one of the premier
- 9 franchises in the NHL; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The Pittsburgh Penguins' victory in the 2017 Stanley
- 11 Cup Finals is the fifth Stanley Cup championship in the
- 12 Pittsburgh Penguins' franchise history, the last championship
- 13 occurring in 2016; therefore be it
- 14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives congratulate the
- 15 Pittsburgh Penguins on winning the National Hockey League's 2017
- 16 Stanley Cup Finals.