

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

# HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 707 Session of  
2015

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BRADFORD AND GILLEN, MARCH 10, 2016

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
MARCH 10, 2016

## A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring Franklin and Marshall College's men's basketball coach,  
2 Glenn Robinson, for achieving 900 basketball game victories.

3 WHEREAS, Glenn Robinson began coaching the Franklin and  
4 Marshall College's men's basketball team in 1971 after the  
5 program suffered a seven season losing streak; and

6 WHEREAS, In 1974, after only three years as coach, coach  
7 Robinson managed to turn the program around with the best record  
8 since 1959; and

9 WHEREAS, Coach Robinson's list of accomplishments and awards  
10 as head coach of Franklin and Marshall College's men's  
11 basketball team is extensive, such as 12-time National  
12 Association of Basketball Coaches Region Coach of the Year, 12-  
13 time Conference Coach of the Year, 1991 Basketball Times  
14 Division III Coach of the Year, 16 trips to the Sweet 16, 10  
15 trips to the Elite Eight, five trips to the Final Four and one

1 NCAA title game appearance; and

2 WHEREAS, On January 9, 2016, Franklin and Marshall College's  
3 men's basketball team defeated Swarthmore College, giving coach  
4 Robinson 900 career wins as head coach of Franklin and Marshall  
5 College's men's basketball team; and

6 WHEREAS, The 900-win milestone puts coach Robinson in an  
7 exclusive club, joining Duke University's men's basketball coach  
8 Mike Krzyzewski, Philadelphia University's men's basketball  
9 coach Herb Magee and former Indiana University's men's  
10 basketball coach Bob Knight as the only coaches to win 900 or  
11 more NCAA basketball games; and

12 WHEREAS, Despite his numerous accomplishments, coach  
13 Robinson's most important accomplishment is that all but three  
14 Franklin and Marshall College's students to earn a varsity  
15 letter in his basketball program have earned a degree; therefore  
16 be it

17 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives honor Franklin  
18 and Marshall College's men's basketball coach, Glenn Robinson,  
19 for achieving 900 basketball game victories.