



2005 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 85

March 2, 2006 - Introduced by Representatives DAVIS, JESKEWITZ, OTT and SHERIDAN, cosponsored by Senators COWLES and ROESSLER. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** proclaiming March National Athletic Training Month.

2 Whereas, quality health care is vital for individuals involved in physical
3 activity; and

4 Whereas, licensed athletic trainers have a long history of providing quality
5 health care for athletes and those engaged in physical activity based on specific
6 tasks, knowledge, and skills acquired through their nationally regulated
7 educational processes; and

8 Whereas, licensed athletic trainers provide recognition, evaluation, aggressive
9 treatment, rehabilitation, health care administration, education, and guidance, all
10 of which are services that prevent injuries; and

11 Whereas, the American Medical Association recognized athletic training in
12 1990 as an allied health care profession; and

13 Whereas, the National Athletic Trainers' Association represents and supports
14 more than 30,000 members of the athletic training profession employed in the

