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Assembly Joint Resolution

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Miller, Steve

From: Spencer, Matt
Sent: Thursday, May 09, 2013 1:10 PM
To: Miller, Steve
Subject: Joint Resolution
Attachments: WHEREAS.docx

Matthew Spencer
Office of Representative Mike Kuglitsch
(608) 267-5158

WHEREAS, the executive board of the International Olympic Committee (IOC) reviewed 26 sports on its summer program and decided to cut wrestling, stunning the world's wrestlers, who see their sport as popular and steeped in history as old as the Olympics themselves; and

WHEREAS, while wrestling will be included at the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, it will not be included in the 2020 Olympic Games; and

WHEREAS, the executive board of the IOC voted after reviewing an IOC program commission report that analyzed 39 criteria, including TV ratings, ticket sales, global participation, and popularity; and

WHEREAS, according to IOC documents, wrestling ranked "low" in several of the technical criteria; and

WHEREAS, however, the decision to phase out wrestling will have a detrimental impact on many teams around the world, including the United States, whose wrestling medals are only outnumbered by swimming and track and field; and

WHEREAS, wrestling is also one of the most popular youth sports in the United States, with nearly 275,000 competitors from 2010 to 2011; and

WHEREAS, wrestling is a diverse, popular, and historic sport, and it is fitting and proper that the International Olympic Committee keep wrestling in the Olympic Games after the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WISCONSIN STATE ASSEMBLY that the members of this body request that the International Olympic Committee keep wrestling in the Olympic Games after the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the executive committee of the International Olympic Committee.

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~~PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION~~

2013 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION

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2 the olympic games.

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7 Whereas, while wrestling will be included at the 2016 Olympics in Rio de
8 Janeiro, it will not be included in the 2020 Olympic Games; and

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10 commission report that analyzed 39 criteria, including TV ratings, ticket sales,
11 global participation, and popularity; and

12 Whereas, according to IOC documents, wrestling ranked "low" in several of the
13 technical criteria; and

Miller, Steve

From: Spencer, Matt
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2013 4:09 PM
To: Miller, Steve
Subject: RE: Joint Resolution

Page 1, Line 14, remove "however" ✓

Page 2, After line 4: "Whereas, Wisconsin has a rich tradition of wrestling excellence and has produced many Olympic medalists; and"

Page 2, Line 9: Delete "request that" and replace with "strongly urge"

Page 2, Line 9: After Committee insert "to:

Matthew Spencer

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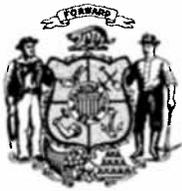
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4 States, with nearly 275,000 competitors from 2010 to 2011; and

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6 proper that the IOC keep wrestling in the Olympic Games after the 2016 Olympics
7 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; now, therefore, be it

8 **Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That** the members of the
9 legislature ~~request that~~ ^{strongly urge} the International Olympic Committee ^{to} keep wrestling in the
10 Olympic Games after the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; and, be it further

11 **Resolved, That** the assembly chief clerk is authorized and directed to transmit
12 a copy of this resolution to the executive board of the International Olympic
13 Committee.

14 (END)

Whereas, Wisconsin has a rich tradition of wrestling
excellence and has produced many Olympic medalists;
and

Rose, Stefanie

From: Spencer, Matt
Sent: Monday, May 20, 2013 9:19 AM
To: LRB.Legal
Subject: Draft Review: LRB -2351/2 Topic: Requesting the International Olympic Committee to keep wrestling

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