

## **H. Res. 635**

### ***In the House of Representatives, U.S.,***

*June 22, 2004.*

Whereas on March 20, 2004, the Kenyon College Lords men's swimming and diving team won the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III Men's Swimming and Diving National Championship for the 25th consecutive year with a score of 678.5 points;

Whereas the Lords won 11 of the 20 championship events, including all five relay events for the third consecutive season;

Whereas Head Coach Jim Steen has won 41 NCAA Division III Swimming and Diving National Championships as coach of both the men's and women's swimming and diving teams at Kenyon College;

Whereas the dedication of each swimmer, diver, coach, trainer, and manager of the Lords allowed the swimming and diving team to reach the pinnacle of team achievement;

Whereas the students, alumni, and faculty of Kenyon College and other supporters of Kenyon College swimming and diving are to be congratulated for their commitment and pride in the Kenyon College swimming and diving program; and

Whereas the 25 consecutive national titles won by the Lords is a record unmatched by any team in any sport in any

division of the NCAA and makes the Lords swimming and diving team the most successful sports program in collegiate athletics history: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

(1) congratulates the Kenyon College Lords swimming and diving team for winning the 2004 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III Men's Swimming and Diving National Championship;

(2) recognizes the achievements of all the swimmers, divers, coaches, trainers, and managers who were instrumental in helping the Kenyon College Lords win the 2004 NCAA Division III Men's Swimming and Diving National Championship; and

(3) recognizes the 25 consecutive NCAA Division III national championships won by the Kenyon College Lords swimming and diving team as an accomplishment unparalleled in any sport in the history of collegiate athletics.

Attest:

*Clerk.*