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SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1 A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing the importance of all
2 schools and libraries being equipped with high-capacity, high-speed
3 broadband connectivity.

4 *Whereas, March 13, 2015, marks national Digital Learning*
5 *Day, bringing to the forefront the broadband imperative*
6 *currently facing schools and libraries in all communities across*
7 *the state of Indiana;*

8 *Whereas, Broadband, which has become the enabling*
9 *technology of the modern learning environment, is now as vital*
10 *to schools as brick and mortar infrastructure and utilities and*
11 *has the power to transform classrooms and transmit*
12 *information, helping to support students in acquiring 21st*
13 *century skills and making learning environments more*
14 *engaging and relevant;*

15 *Whereas, Broadband and other technology tools have the*
16 *ability to increase education capacity as well through online*
17 *academies, project-based and personalized learning, AP and*
18 *dual credit, and STEM initiatives;*

19 *Whereas, Increased broadband utilization will also improve*
20 *the efficiency of data management and information sharing by*
21 *schools with parents and community stakeholders as teacher*
22 *evaluations can be moved online to provide immediate feedback*
23 *to help improve classroom instruction, and parents can be more*
24 *readily informed about their students' academic progress;*



