

## House Resolution 315

By: Representatives Smith of the 138<sup>th</sup> and Rice of the 139<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Jacob Crumbley; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, a native of Harris County and graduate of Harris County High School, Jacob  
3 Crumbley has been named U.S. Soccer's 2024 Male Cerebral Palsy Player of the Year; and

4 WHEREAS, he joined the United States Cerebral Palsy Men's National Team (CP MNT) in  
5 2018 during his senior year of high school and has since represented the United States in  
6 international competitions across Spain, England, Ecuador, Peru, Chile, Australia, and  
7 Ireland; and

8 WHEREAS, in 2024, he demonstrated exceptional versatility and leadership, excelling in  
9 multiple positions and leading the CP MNT with five goals and eight total goal contributions,  
10 including standout performances at the IFCPF World Cup in Salou, Spain; and

11 WHEREAS, Jacob played a pivotal role in Team USA's seventh-place finish at the IFCPF  
12 World Cup, delivering a crucial equalizer and scoring the game-winning goal in a dramatic  
13 comeback victory against Germany; and

14 WHEREAS, as a dedicated member of Team USA, Jacob has contributed to the success of  
15 the United States Olympic and Paralympic Committee, earning two bronze medals at the  
16 Parapan American Games; and

17 WHEREAS, a talented multi-sport athlete, Jacob played on the Harris County High School  
18 Varsity Soccer Team and served as a kicker for the Tigers football team, where he was  
19 ranked the third-best kicker in the nation for his graduating class by the Ray Guy Kicking  
20 Camp program; and

21 WHEREAS, Jacob is the third recipient of the Male Cerebral Palsy Player of the Year award  
22 since its inception in 2022, earning 59 percent of the weighted vote; and

23 WHEREAS, his achievements reflect his hard work, resilience, and passion for soccer,  
24 bringing pride to Harris County and the State of Georgia, and it is abundantly fitting and  
25 proper that he be appropriately honored.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
27 the members of this body recognize and commend Jacob Crumbley, U.S. Soccer's 2024 Male  
28 Cerebral Palsy Player of the Year, and extend best wishes for continued success both on and  
29 off the field.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Jacob  
32 Crumbley.