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SENATE RESOLUTION

TO DESIGNATE THE MONTH OF MARCH AS NATIONAL ATHLETIC
TRAINING MONTH.

Subtitle

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WHEREAS, the Arkansas Athletic Trainers' Association was founded in 1987 as an organization committed to the education of its members, the enhancement of the profession of athletic training, and to promote better health care for the population it serves; and

WHEREAS, athletic trainers across the state of Arkansas promote and practice the profession of athletic training; and

WHEREAS, athletic trainers are highly skilled healthcare professionals who specialize in immediate, acute, and emergency care; examination, assessment, and diagnosis; injury prevention; risk management; therapeutic intervention; and rehabilitation of injury and illness; and

WHEREAS, athletic trainers collaborate with physicians to provide quality health care for athletes and persons engaged in regular physical activity; and

WHEREAS, National Athletic Training Month is held every March in order to spread awareness regarding the important work of athletic trainers; and

WHEREAS, the advancement of athletic trainers in the state depends on



maintaining and expanding its athletic trainer workforce and inspiring and motivating the current generation of students to enter the athletic training field,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the Senate recognize the month of March 2023 as National Athletic Training Month.