

***STATEMENT OF CONGRATULATION***

***The Faculty Council of the Ohio State University congratulates the players and coaches of the football team for completing an outstanding season and winning the National Championship. As faculty members we are especially gratified that excellent play was combined with a demeanor both on and off the field that reflected well the values and aspirations of our University. We also appreciate the football program's renewed efforts to promote the academic performance and progress of our student athletes, and we reaffirm our commitment to provide excellent academic programs for all of our students.***