

By: Senator(s) Mettetal, Frazier, Jackson
(11th)

To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 634

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE
2 COLDWATER HIGH SCHOOL "LADY COUGARS" GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM AND
3 HEAD COACH WERT SPIVA, JR., FOR WINNING THE CLASS 2A STATE
4 CHAMPIONSHIP AND FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING 2006-2007 SEASON.

5 WHEREAS, Ashley Daniel's basket with 10 seconds remaining
6 clinched the victory for the Coldwater High School "Lady Cougars"
7 Girls Basketball Team over Coahoma County by a score of 62-61 on
8 March 10, 2007, which won the Class 2A State Championship; and

9 WHEREAS, this victory was followed by a trip to the Overall
10 State Tournament in Tupelo where the Lady Cougars made the
11 semifinals and ended their 2006-2007 season with an outstanding
12 record of 31-6; and

13 WHEREAS, the Lady Cougars participated in the following
14 tournaments on their way to the State Championship: Coldwater
15 Cougar Classic (Champions); Region 3-2A Tournament (Division)
16 Runners-Up (2nd); North Mississippi 2A Tournament (Runners-Up);
17 and Mississippi High School Activities Association State
18 Tournament (2A Champions); and

19 WHEREAS, the following team members received individual
20 honors for their stellar performance: Ashley Daniel, All-Division
21 Team, Division 3-2A Co-MVP, North/South All-Star, All-State
22 Tournament Team, All-North State; Lanita Futrell, All-Division
23 Team, All-North State Team, All-State Tournament Team; and
24 Rochelle Epps, North State Tournament Team, and All-State
25 Tournament Team; and

26 WHEREAS, the roster of the Coldwater Lady Cougars is as
27 follows: Lanita Futrell (10), Tempestt Sandridge (9), Kinshannta
28 Hall (12), Kayla Davis (11), Kiera Reed (9), Alishay Allen (9),

29 Rochell Epps (12), Waynesha Page (11), Waytasha Page (11), Ashley
30 Daniel (11), Ebony Ellis (9), Jelnelia Hawkins (9), Kiearra
31 Williams (11) and Amber Milam (9); and

32 WHEREAS, Head Coach Wert Spiva, Jr., and Assistant Coach
33 Sharon Johnson forged an effective program with these young ladies
34 and made the following comment following the state title: "This
35 team was resilient in their efforts and was able to achieve
36 success through commitment, dedication and hard work, which gave
37 us a chance to win in the end"; and

38 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize the special
39 achievements of this group of student athletes who have brought
40 honor to their school, their community and to the State of
41 Mississippi:

42 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
43 MISSISSIPPI, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN, That
44 we do hereby commend and congratulate the Coldwater High School
45 "Lady Cougars" and Head Coach Wert Spiva, Jr., for winning the
46 Class 2A State Championship and extend to them the best wishes of
47 the Legislature in their future athletic and academic endeavors.

48 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
49 Coach Wert Spiva and the Principal of Coldwater High School, be
50 forwarded to the Tate County School Board of Trustees and be made
51 available to the Capitol Press Corps.