

By: Representative Creekmore IV

To: Rules

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 167

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE INGOMAR
2 ATTENDANCE CENTER LADY FALCONS VOLLEYBALL TEAM AND HEAD COACH ANDY
3 WILBANKS UPON WINNING THE 2022 MISSISSIPPI HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES
4 ASSOCIATION (MHSAA) CLASS 1A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

5 WHEREAS, the Ingomar Attendance Center Lady Falcons
6 Volleyball Team reigned victorious against the Resurrection
7 Catholic School Eagles, capturing the team's first-ever
8 Mississippi High School Activities Association (MHSAA) Class 1A
9 State Championship; and

10 WHEREAS, as the Lady Falcons have climbed the ladder in each
11 of their four seasons since starting a volleyball program, it was
12 just a matter of time before this exceptional team took home a
13 golden ball in volleyball; and

14 WHEREAS, on October 21, 2022, at the Mississippi State
15 University Volleyball Facility, in Starkville, Mississippi, the
16 Lady Falcons finally reached the mountaintop, sweeping
17 Resurrection Catholic School Eagles 3-0, to take home the 2022
18 MHSAA Class 1A State Championship; and



19 WHEREAS, with a season record of 26-2, the Lady Falcons
20 finished their season as Union County Champions, Division 2-1A
21 Champions, North Half Champions, and Class 1A State Champions; and

22 WHEREAS, the Lady Falcons have been superbly coached and
23 inspired by Head Coach Andy Wilbanks and Assistant Coach Laura
24 Hogue, who have broadened their knowledge of the game, while
25 refining their skills in execution, continuing the tradition of
26 building upon the legacy of superior play and true sportsmanship
27 forged by the tenacious and undaunted spirit of each team member,
28 as evidenced in their ability to produce high caliber players and
29 plays, as evidenced by the team's successful championship season;
30 and

31 WHEREAS, in addition to Coach Wilbanks and Coach Hogue, the
32 Lady Falcons have been tremendously supported by the team's
33 athletic trainer, Jeremy Dorrough, and managers: Maggie Nance,
34 Rachel Weeden, Ella Weeden, Eden Wilbanks, Ella Hart Wilbanks,
35 Jaida Latsady, Eve Cooper and Jack Wilbanks; and

36 WHEREAS, the 2022 Lady Falcons Championship roster is
37 comprised of the following talented student-athletes: Macie
38 Phifer, Lindsey Dillard, Cadie Jo Byrd, Anna Lauren Glasson,
39 Brooklyn Wicker, Taylor Stout, Tnya Jones, Audrey Maupin, Tyrani
40 Jones, Bella Phifer, Marissa Bell, Kaylee Crawford, Daylen
41 Grisham, Issie Riddle, Abby Miller, Miley Roberts and Kylie
42 Jumper; and



43 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the House of Representatives to
44 recognize and honor the achievements of student-athletes such as
45 the Lady Falcons, who have brought honor to their school, their
46 community and to the State of Mississippi:

47 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
48 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby
49 commend and congratulate the Ingomar Attendance Center Lady
50 Falcons Volleyball Team and Head Coach Andy Wilbanks for winning
51 the Mississippi High School Activities Association (MHSAA) Class
52 1A State Championship, and extend to the team best wishes for
53 future success.

54 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be
55 furnished to Head Coach Andy Wilbanks, Assistant Coach Laura Hogue
56 and to the members of the Capitol Press Corps.

