

Senate Resolution 410

By: Senator Meyer von Bremen of the 12th

ADOPTED SENATE

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Coach Willie Boston; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Coach Willie Boston is widely recognized throughout the nation as the
3 personification of excellence in athletics; and

4 WHEREAS, this highly respected coach is the architect of one of the most successful
5 basketball programs in the history of the Georgia High School Association and has served
6 with honor and distinction as head coach of the Westover High School Patriots basketball
7 team for the past 22 years; and

8 WHEREAS, his role as a coach was to act as an instrument of inspiration and enthusiasm to
9 his players; to create a positive learning environment by encouraging competitive instincts;
10 and to instill the values and positive characteristics of hard work, dedication, and integrity;
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12 WHEREAS, his spectacular success includes a career record of 436 wins and only 136
13 losses; 20 consecutive winning seasons; 74 seasons with at least 20 wins; and six Class AAA
14 state basketball championships; and

15 WHEREAS, he is a shining example of the important impact that the efforts of individual
16 coaches make on the quality of athletic training received by the children of this state, and it
17 is abundantly fitting and proper that his superlative accomplishments be recognized
18 appropriately.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
20 heartily and gratefully commend Coach Willie Boston for his many years of sacrifice,
21 foresight, accomplishment, and contributions on behalf of basketball in Georgia and for the
22 positive influence he has had upon the lives and futures of countless young people in this
23 state.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Coach Willie Boston.