

Senate Resolution 411

By: Senator Meyer von Bremen of the 12th

ADOPTED SENATE

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Dougherty Comprehensive High School basketball team; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, on March 9, 2001, the Dougherty Comprehensive High School basketball team
4 captured the Georgia High School Association State Championship; and

5 WHEREAS, Dougherty began the season with a 1-4 record and ended it with its second state
6 title in four years; and

7 WHEREAS, the Trojans defeated Mays High School 66-54 for the Class AAAA crown; and

8 WHEREAS, despite having lost four of the top six starters from last year's team, Dougherty
9 rebuilt this season's team on a solid foundation of talented, determined players and
10 committed coaches; and

11 WHEREAS, in the championship game, Alexander Johnson scored 29 points and grabbed
12 16 rebounds, and Jason Woods added 19 points to seal the win for the Trojans; and

13 WHEREAS, led by a tremendous coaching staff headed by Coach Charlie Givens, who took
14 the Trojans to the Class AAA state title in 1997, the team showed extraordinary courage and
15 faith in overcoming hard times early in the season and is an inspiration to their fans and all
16 of Dougherty County.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 commend and congratulate the Dougherty Comprehensive High School basketball team as
19 the 2001 Class AAAA State Champions.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
21 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Coach Charlie Givens.