

## House Resolution 636

By: Representatives Bannister of the 77<sup>th</sup>, Coan of the 82<sup>nd</sup> and Callaway of the 81<sup>st</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Berkmar High School Patriots basketball team; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the Berkmar High School Patriots basketball team has established and  
3 maintained a proud tradition of excellence in boys' basketball with equal emphases on  
4 character and academics; and
- 5 WHEREAS, this superlative team has completed another ultrasuccessful season of basketball  
6 competition by posting an outstanding record of 29 wins and only four losses; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the Patriots rallied through the state playoffs and, as a fitting finale to their  
8 remarkable 2001 campaign, the team captured the first State Basketball Championship of the  
9 newly created Class AAAAA in a dramatic 55-53 come from behind win over Savannah; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team as it earned its second consecutive  
11 state basketball title is a clear indication of the outstanding athletic ability, the dedication and  
12 hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each member of the team; their superb  
13 offensive and defensive talents; and the astute direction of Head Coach David Boyd; and
- 14 WHEREAS, this magnificent team performed with precision during the season and earned  
15 its well-deserved reputation for high standards of athletic achievement, the quality of its play,  
16 and the stiff competition which it presented its opponents.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
18 the members of this body commend the Berkmar High School Patriots basketball team for  
19 its unparalleled achievements and extend their sincerest best wishes for continued success  
20 in the future.
- 21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
22 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach David Boyd.