

Senate Resolution 534

By: Senator Schaefer of the 50th

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Eric Berryman; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Eric Berryman is widely recognized throughout the state as the personification  
3 of excellence in education; and

4 WHEREAS, this highly respected history teacher has served with honor and distinction as  
5 a professional educator; and

6 WHEREAS, he believes that his role as a teacher is to act as an instrument of inspiration to  
7 his pupils and to create a positive learning environment while enhancing his students'  
8 abilities to analyze and reason; and

9 WHEREAS, he is a shining example of the important impact that the efforts of individual  
10 classroom teachers are making on the quality of education received by the children of this  
11 state; and

12 WHEREAS, he encourages students to believe in themselves, to pursue every opportunity  
13 for personal growth, to make a commitment to excellence in every aspect of their lives, and  
14 to develop a love of learning which will be beneficial to them throughout their lives; and

15 WHEREAS, his talent as a teacher is most evident in the fond regard of his fellow teachers,  
16 superiors, parents, and especially his students; and

17 WHEREAS, in recognition of his outstanding dedication to academic excellence, he was  
18 selected by his county's STAR student as the Hart County STAR Teacher.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
20 heartily and gratefully commend Eric Berryman for his sacrifice, foresight, accomplishment,

1 and contributions on behalf of the young people of this state and congratulate him upon his  
2 selection as the Hart County STAR Teacher.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
4 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Eric Berryman.