

## House Resolution 143

By: Representatives Reese of the 98<sup>th</sup> and Mills of the 25<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the Buford High School football team on winning the 2008 Class AA State  
2 Championship and inviting the team to appear before the House of Representatives; and for  
3 other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, through perseverance and iron determination, the Buford High School football  
5 team earned the top ranking in the state with their 45-21 win over Calhoun High School at  
6 the Georgia Dome; and

7 WHEREAS, the title-earning win by the Wolves completed their impressive 15-0 season and  
8 clinched a second straight state championship for Buford High football; and

9 WHEREAS, this 2009 all star team earned Buford High a place in many record books,  
10 including scoring an amazing 233 postseason playoff points, holding the third-longest  
11 winning streak in county history with 30 straight wins, and tying for the most wins in a  
12 decade with 125; and

13 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding  
14 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each  
15 member of the team; their superb offensive and defensive talents; and the astute direction of  
16 Head Coach Jess Simpson; and

17 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by  
18 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is  
19 abundantly proper to call them champions.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body congratulate the Buford High School football team for winning the  
22 2008 Class AA State Championship and extend their sincerest best wishes for future success.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the players and coaches of the Buford High School  
24 football team are hereby invited to appear before the House of Representatives at a date and  
25 time to be fixed by the Speaker of the House for purposes of being recognized by the House  
26 and receiving an appropriate copy of this resolution.