

House Resolution 817

By: Representative Davis of the 109th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Union Grove High School NJROTC rifle team; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the Union Grove High School NJROTC rifle team has established and
3 maintained a proud tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and academics;
4 and
- 5 WHEREAS, these eagle-eyed marksmen and markswomen acquired their targets and hit the
6 bullseye as they exercised their sharpshooting skills in an amazing display of accuracy,
7 placing first in the NRA National Air Gun Championships in Des Moines, Iowa, in the
8 JROTC precision category and first in the National Junior Olympics Air Rifle
9 Championships in the scholastic division last year; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this team established a new Navy JROTC national record on both the first and
11 second day of the Navy JROTC National Championship in February; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of Abby Casey, Steven Frazier, Kayla Dorsey,
13 Juli Yoder, and Tiffani Potter is a clear indication of the outstanding athletic ability, the
14 dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each member of the team;
15 their superb sharpshooting talents; and the astute direction of Senior Chief Warren Varnadoe,
16 Naval Science Instructor; and
- 17 WHEREAS, three of the five team members have been selected to the 2009 Georgia High
18 School All State Rifle team, and one has been selected as the Honorary Captain; and
- 19 WHEREAS, three of the seniors will continue shooting in college, Abby Casey at the United
20 States Air Force Academy and Tiffani Potter and Juli Yoder at Columbus State University
21 on scholarship; and

22 WHEREAS, these magnificent cadets won the Area 5 Championship, establishing a new
23 national record, and now head toward the All Services National NJROTC Air Rifle
24 Championship at Fort Benning, Georgia, and the State High School Championship also at
25 Fort Benning, where they will aim their sights toward shootist perfection as they compete
26 against NJROTC champions from every state in the Union.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body commend the Union Grove High School NJROTC rifle team for
29 its outstanding achievements and extend their sincere best wishes for continued success in
30 the future.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Senior Chief Warren
33 Varnadoe.