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House Resolution 971

By: Representatives Clark of the 98th, Coleman of the 97th, Sheldon of the 105th, Clark of the 104th, Brockway of the 101st, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating the Buford High School softball team on winning their fourth consecutive
- 2 GHSA Class AA State Championship; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, through perseverance and iron determination, the Buford High School softball
- 4 team earned the top ranking in the state with a 6-2 victory over Union County High School;
- 5 and
- 6 WHEREAS, the Lady Wolves dominated their opponents all season with timely hitting,
- 7 clutch pitching, and nearly flawless defense, and their amazing state title win places them as
- 8 only the second team in Georgia history to win four consecutive state championships; and
- 9 WHEREAS, the 2010 state championship team included Bailey Burnette, Kallie Case, Cara
- 10 Cole, Melissa Dickie, Karly Fullem, Aly Hicks, Lanae Hodnett, Lexi Overstreet, Lanier Paul,
- 11 Mickala Price, Lindsey Puckett, Kodi Ricketson, Rebekah Rude, Noah Sudderth, Chelsie
- 12 Thomas, Whitney Wolfe, and Madison Wynegar; 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; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Lady Wolves of the All Region 6-AA First Team include Kallie Case, Melissa
- 17 Dickie, Karly Fullem, Lexi Overstreet, and Chelsie Thomas while Second Team honors went
- 18 to Kodi Ricketson, Rebekah Rude, Whitney Wolfe, and Madison Wynegar; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Chelsie Thomas was named County Defensive Player of the Year by the
- 20 Gwinnett Diamond Club and the club's First Team All County included Kallie Case, Melissa
- 21 Dickie, Karly Fullem, and Lexi Overstreet, with Second Team members Kodi Ricketson and
- Whitney Wolfe; and

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WHEREAS, the team's spectacular season reflects the astute guidance and direction of their

- 24 talented coaches and the support of their many fans; and
- 25 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
- 26 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
- 27 abundantly proper to call them champions.
- 28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 29 the members of this body congratulate the 2010 Buford High School softball team for
- 30 winning their fourth consecutive GHSA Class AA State Championship and extend to them
- 31 best wishes on all their future athletic endeavors.
- 32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach Tony Wolfe.