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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the 2011-2012 Georgia Tech women's basketball team; and
- 2 for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Georgia Tech women's basketball team, under the exceptional guidance of
- 4 Head Coach MaChelle Joseph, has made history and broken numerous school records in its
- 5 outstanding 2011-2012 season; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the 24-8 Yellow Jacket squad has already tied a school record for most wins in
- 7 a season and set a school record with 12 wins in the Atlantic Coast Conference; and
- 8 WHEREAS, their phenomenal performance has earned the team a number 13 ranking in the
- 9 ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll and a number 15 ranking in the Associated Press Poll; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the team advanced on a seven-game winning streak into the ACC Women's
- 11 Basketball Tournament to the championship game for only the second time in Georgia Tech
- 12 history; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the Yellow Jackets received their sixth consecutive invitation to the NCAA
- Women's Basketball Tournament, earning a school-first number four seed position; and
- 15 WHEREAS, the team has been led in its success by ACC All-Tournament First Team
- 16 members Sasha Goodlett and Tyaunna Marshall and ACC All-Freshman Team member
- 17 Sydney Wallace; and
- 18 WHEREAS, the entire 2011-2012 Georgia Tech women's basketball team has demonstrated
- 19 the highest level of academic, moral, and athletic qualities expected of Georgia Tech's
- 20 student athletes; and

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21 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned their well-deserved reputation for excellence

- 22 by performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
- abundantly fitting and proper that they be appropriately recognized.
- 24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 25 the members of this body commend the 2011-2012 Georgia Tech women's basketball team
- 26 for their outstanding accomplishments and heartily congratulate the Yellow Jackets on their
- 27 success during the 2011-2012 season.
- 28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 29 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Head Coach MaChelle
- 30 Joseph.