

## House Resolution 855

By: Representative Mitchell of the 88<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Stephenson High School Lady Jaguars basketball team on winning the  
2 GHSA Class AAAAA state championship; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in the final game of the Class AAAAA state championship, the Stephenson  
4 Lady Jaguars dominated and defeated Mays High School by the score of 65 to 56, capturing  
5 the state girls basketball title for the third time; and

6 WHEREAS, the Stephenson High School Lady Jaguars basketball team has proven itself to  
7 be one of the greatest basketball programs in Georgia High School Association history with  
8 a season record of 27-5 wins; and

9 WHEREAS, the hard work, determination, and competitive spirit of the exceptional Jaguars  
10 girls basketball team contributed to the success of the Stephenson High School team and  
11 helped them to realize a dream not only for themselves but also for their school and many  
12 fans and their great achievements will influence their personal growth and offer them  
13 memories they will cherish for a lifetime; and

14 WHEREAS, these players have benefited greatly from the expert training, dedication, and  
15 encouragement provided by their amazing coaches, team managers, the Stephenson High  
16 School Principal, Athletic Director, the school's outstanding faculty, their many dedicated  
17 fans, and their loving family members; and

18 WHEREAS, this talented and well-coached team displayed the qualities of excellence  
19 through its players: Davion Wingate, Kayla Holmes, Miracle Gray, Shayla Smith, Dazjah  
20 Williams, Chloe Culpeper, Sydney Saxton, Charbornay Johnson, Breanna Saunders, Rhein  
21 Beaman, Vadarius Scott, Terrianna Cave, Nailah Manning, Nalijah Winfield, Carolyn Hoard,  
22 and Unique Cotton; and

23 WHEREAS, the DeKalb community as well as the State of Georgia take great pride in the  
24 accomplishments of these fine young champions and it is abundantly fitting and proper that  
25 this body recognize this extraordinary team.

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
27 the members of this body commend the Stephenson High School Lady Jaguars basketball  
28 team on winning the GHSA Class AAAAA state championship and extend to the team  
29 members and their coaches best wishes for continued success in life on and off the court.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
32 Stephenson High School Lady Jaguars Basketball Team.