

Senate Resolution 826

By: Senators Bethel of the 54th, Millar of the 40th, Shafer of the 48th, Mullis of the 53rd and Cowsert of the 46th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Dalton State College men's basketball team on winning the National
2 Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Division I National Championship in Kansas City;
3 and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, the Dalton State College men's basketball team completed the season with a
5 32-4 record, and this was the program's second year of competition and first year of
6 postseason eligibility; and

7 WHEREAS, Dalton State College's men's basketball team, coached by Tony Ingle, is only
8 the second basketball team to ever win a national championship from the University System
9 of Georgia; and

10 WHEREAS, Coach Ingle is the only coach in the history of basketball in the State of Georgia
11 to win national championships at two schools; and

12 WHEREAS, Dalton State was the first program to win the National Association of
13 Intercollegiate Athletics Division National Championship in its first year of eligibility since
14 the College of Charleston in 1983; and

15 WHEREAS, Dalton State College's 71-53 win over Westmont for the championship made
16 it the first public school to win the NAIA National Championship in over 20 years; and

17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
18 remarkable and distinguished team be appropriately recognized.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
20 commend the Dalton State College men's basketball team on winning the National
21 Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Division I National Championship in Kansas City.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
23 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Dalton State
24 College men's basketball team.