

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 32

By Overbey

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Rylie Patterson for her contributions to the Tennessee Flight Select basketball team and its 7th grade AAU Division I national title.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those student athletes who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as champions of whom we all can be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Rylie Patterson, who has proven herself to be a fierce competitor as a member of the Tennessee Flight Select and, as such, deserving of the highest regard; and

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Flight Select basketball team achieved an unprecedented level of success during the 2011 and 2012 seasons carrying a 101-1 record against same-age competition, garnering its second straight championship after a 35-27 win over the Seattle Transition; and

WHEREAS, Rylie Patterson is an invaluable component of the Flight Select team and is recognized by her coaches as a key player during high pressure competition; Patterson is a shooter who can change the momentum of the game; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Rylie Patterson of the Tennessee Flight Select girls' basketball team for her outstanding performance and for serving as an example of the exceptional quality of the youth of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we honor and commend Rylie Patterson for her contributions to the Tennessee Flight Select basketball team and its 7th grade AAU Division I national title.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.