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House Resolution 214

By: Representatives Stephens of the 165th, Gordon of the 163rd, Stephens of the 164th, Gilliard of the 162nd, Hitchens of the 161st, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Benedictine Military School football team for winning the 2016 GHSA AA
- 2 State Football Championship; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Benedictine Military School football team has established and maintained
- 4 a proud tradition of excellence with equal emphases on character and academics; and
- 5 WHEREAS, this superlative team has completed another triumphant season of football by
- 6 posting an outstanding record of 15 wins and zero losses; and
- 7 WHEREAS, excellent play, superior teamwork, and extraordinary resilience made this team
- 8 a spectacular one to observe throughout the season, and as a fitting finale to its remarkable
- 9 2016 campaign, the team captured its second state championship; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the Benedictine Military School football team's senior class has a four-year
- 11 record of 53-4, which is the best four-year record in Savannah history; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
- 13 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, and the unity of purpose and spirit of each
- 14 member of the team under the astute direction of Head Coach Danny Britt and assistant
- 15 coaches Baker Woodward, Ken Cooper, Caleb Collins, Trevor Coleman, AJ DeFilippis,
- 16 Bryan Gray, Charlie Jung, Henry Meyers, Kevin Prisant, Brian Tuten, Howard Williams,
- 17 Wes Worthington, and Nick Wright; and
- 18 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team earned its well-deserved reputation for excellence by
- 19 performing with courage and precision over months of training and competition, it is
- 20 abundantly proper to call them champions.
- 21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 22 the members of this body commend the Benedictine Military School football team for

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23 winning the 2016 GHSA AA State Football Championship and extend their most sincere best

- 24 wishes for continued success.
- 25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 26 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
- 27 Benedictine Military School football team.