

2014 SPECIAL SESSION I

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5190

Commending the Virginia Episcopal School girls' basketball team.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, September 18, 2014

Agreed to by the Senate, September 18, 2014

WHEREAS, the Virginia Episcopal School girls' basketball team claimed its first state title by winning the Virginia Independent Schools Athletic Association Division 3 state championship on March 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the Virginia Episcopal School Fighting Bishops defeated the Wakefield School Fighting Owls 32 - 27 in the state championship final at Saint Anne's-Belfield School to finish the season with a 17 - 6 record; and

WHEREAS, trailing for only 32 seconds, the Virginia Episcopal School Fighting Bishops took the lead in the first quarter and dominated play with their strong zone defense for the rest of the game; and

WHEREAS, freshman Tyra Cox led the Virginia Episcopal School Fighting Bishops with a game-high 17 points, including crucial late-game scores to maintain the lead, and five rebounds; and

WHEREAS, the victory is a testament to the skill and determination of each of the players, the able leadership of the coaches and staff, and the enthusiastic support of the entire Virginia Episcopal School community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend the Virginia Episcopal School girls' basketball team on winning the 2014 Virginia Independent Schools Athletic Association Division 3 state championship; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Darko Sedlar, head coach of the Virginia Episcopal School girls' basketball team, as an expression of the General Assembly's congratulations and admiration for the team's accomplishments.

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