

House Resolution 132

By: Representatives England of the 116th, Quick of the 117th, Kirby of the 114th, and Benton of the 31st

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Bethlehem Christian Academy Knights' Baseball Team and inviting them
2 to be recognized by the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, through training, talent, and iron will, the Bethlehem Christian Academy
4 Knights' Baseball Team won back-to-back GISA Triple A State Championships in 2013 and
5 2014; and

6 WHEREAS, in its 2014 season, the team had a 21-8 record, with six players earning
7 All-Region and All-State, including Luke Allan, PJ Klein, Jacob Fincher, Brady Stewart,
8 Jacob Parker, and Jacob Walls; and

9 WHEREAS, other team members included Tanner Still, Ryan Whiting, Nick Suertefelipe,
10 Brad Toxen, Dakota Parton, Caleb Hopkins, Brendan Veal, Tristen Green, and Austin
11 Bennett; and

12 WHEREAS, the coaches, Colby May, Matt Nicks, and Steven Fruitticher, not only lead these
13 young men in baseball, but they also build leadership and service by volunteering with the
14 team at their local Boys and Girls Club; and

15 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of the team is a clear indication of the outstanding
16 athletic ability, the dedication and hard work, the unity of purpose and spirit of each member
17 of the team, and their superb offensive and defensive talents; and

18 WHEREAS, as this magnificent team has earned its well deserved reputation for excellence
19 by 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 Bethlehem Christian Academy Knights' Baseball

23 Team, congratulate them for winning the GISA Triple A State Championships in 2013 and
24 2014, and invite them to be recognized by the House of Representatives at a date and time
25 to be determined by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
27 and directed to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the
28 Bethlehem Christian Academy Knights' Baseball Team.