

## House Resolution 1707

By: Representatives Burns of the 159<sup>th</sup> and Hitchens of the 161<sup>st</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and congratulating Isiah Royal on his third consecutive state title at the GHSA  
2 State Wrestling Competition; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Isiah Royal is an outstanding student-athlete at Effingham County High School  
4 who brought fame and honor to his school and community as a state wrestling champion; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Isiah missed much of his senior season due to an injury but returned to the mat  
6 late in the season, battling his way into the Sectional Finals; and
- 7 WHEREAS, at the state championships in Duluth, Georgia, Isiah, wrestling at 126 pounds,  
8 won the Class AAAAAA crown; and
- 9 WHEREAS, this stellar young man epitomizes the courage, determination, leadership, and  
10 character necessary to attain excellence in athletic prowess and performance; and
- 11 WHEREAS, his months of training and perfecting his maneuvers have been rewarded with  
12 his impressive win, and it is appropriate that he holds the title of champion; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Isiah's victory was the culmination of a season of hard work, dedication, and  
14 excellent sportsmanship; and
- 15 WHEREAS, his superior skill, strategy, stamina, and control have earned him respect and  
16 admiration among his teammates and challengers; and
- 17 WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the superlative abilities of this accomplished and  
18 gifted student-athlete, as well as the pride, honor, and respect he has brought himself, his  
19 school, and his community, be appropriately recognized.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
21 the members of this body recognize and congratulate Isiah Royal on his third consecutive  
22 state title at the GHSA State Wrestling Competition and extend to him their most sincere best  
23 wishes for future success.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
25 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Isiah  
26 Royal.