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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6

BY REPRESENTATIVE AUBERT

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the St. James High School girls' basketball team upon winning the 2011 Class 3A state championship.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend the St. James High School girls' basketball team upon the completion of a sensational 2010-2011 season and to congratulate the players and coaches on winning the Class 3A state basketball championship for the first time in school history; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Wildcats claimed the state championship title in the Ladies Top 28 Tournament at the University Center on the campus of Southeastern Louisiana University on Saturday, March 5, 2011, by defeating the Avoyelles High School's Lady Mustangs with a final score of 61-49; and

WHEREAS, the members of the team performed at the highest level of excellence, and each intrepid Lady Wildcat deserves recognition for her vital contribution to the winning effort; and

WHEREAS, with sixteen points and eighteen rebounds, Brandi Jeffery was named the game's Most Outstanding Player; and

WHEREAS, starters for the Lady Wildcats were Brandi Jeffery, Anika Duronslet, Markeshia Keller, Ashton (Renae) Jones, and Kaitlyn Bartholomew; and

WHEREAS, Coach Justin Adams and assistant coach Steve Steib have demonstrated the kind of leadership and motivational skills needed to produce winners both on and off the court; and

WHEREAS, the team's championship 27-8 season upholds the glorious tradition of the Lady Wildcats; and

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WHEREAS, the St. James High School girls' basketball team merits a special measure of commendation for the tremendous honor and pride that it brings to its school and community and to the state of Louisiana.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the players and coaches of the St. James High School girls' basketball team for winning the 2011 Class 3A state championship, does hereby express sincere and heartfelt congratulations to the Lady Wildcats in recognition of their outstanding athletic abilities and their highly successful season, and does hereby extend best wishes for continued success in the future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the head coach of the St. James High School girls' basketball team.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES