HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1011

Introduced by: Representatives Deadrick, Carson, Hamiel, Juhnke, Putnam, and Vanneman and Senators Garnos, Bartling, Bradford, and Vehle

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Commending the 2008 and 2009 Platte-Geddes Black Panthers High School Cheerleaders for receiving the Spirit of Six award at the State A Boys' Basketball Tournament.

WHEREAS, the Platte-Geddes Black Panthers High School Boys' Basketball Cheerleading Squad under the leadership of head coach Marla Tegethoff won the Spirit of Six award in 2008 and again in 2009; and

WHEREAS, the Platte-Geddes Black Panthers High School Boys' Basketball Cheerleading Squad was exemplary in its unity and the accord of all its 2008 cheerleaders including Brooke Kemnitz, Kasya Marlo, Emily Nachtigal, and Rhona Nelson, and its 2009 cheerleaders including Tory Alberda, Brooke Kemnitz, Kasya Marlo, Deni Meyerink, and Rhona Nelson; and

WHEREAS, the Platte-Geddes Black Panthers High School Boys' Basketball Cheerleading Squad has been a model of consistency and excellence, having been Spirit of Six award recipients two consecutive years; and

WHEREAS, the Platte-Geddes Black Panthers High School Boys' Basketball Cheerleading Squad displayed sportsmanship and enthusiasm, as well as crowd control to win the Spirit of Six award at the State A Boys' Basketball Tournament in 2008 and 2009:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Eighty-fifth Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the Platte-Geddes Black Panthers High School Boys' Basketball Cheerleading Squad and its coach be congratulated and commended for its outstanding performances at the 2008 and 2009 State A Boys' Basketball Tournaments.

