

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 70

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Derek Ransom of Columbia Academy on being named the 2023 TSSAA Division II boys' bowling Coach of the Year.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should pay tribute to those excellent coaches who have led their players to success in athletic competition and in the game of life; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Coach Derek Ransom, who has established himself as the heart and soul of the Columbia Academy boys' bowling program; and

WHEREAS, most appropriately, Derek Ransom was named the 2023 TSSAA Division II Coach of the Year in boys' bowling in appreciation of his efforts in guiding the team to an unprecedented level of success this past season; and

WHEREAS, under his leadership, Columbia Academy won the 2023 TSSAA Division II boys' bowling state championship, steamrolling over their competition to claim the coveted title of state champion; and

WHEREAS, Derek Ransom has distinguished himself as a great bowling coach, tactician, and motivator of young men, and he should be appropriately recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Derek Ransom of Columbia Academy upon being selected the 2023 TSSAA Division II boys' bowling Coach of the Year and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to

the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.