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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1589

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor Sam Tarlton upon being named *The Greeneville Sun*'s Boys' Basketball Coach of the Year.

WHEREAS, we take great pleasure in paying tribute to those outstanding coaches who, through hard work and commitment, distinguish themselves among the storied coaches and legendary high school programs of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Sam Tarlton of North Greene High School was recently named *The Greeneville Sun*'s Boys' Basketball Coach of the Year, an honor that truly reflects the commitment to athletic excellence displayed by Coach Tarlton and the North Greene Huskies; and

WHEREAS, Coach Tarlton led the North Greene Huskies through an astounding season that culminated in a 21-16 record; under his thoughtful leadership, the North Greene Huskies secured a District 1-A championship title and an appearance in the state tournament; and

WHEREAS, Coach Sam Tarlton epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; he has served with great diligence and dedication, positively influencing the lives of countless young people with his display of character and integrity; and

WHEREAS, we find it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud Sam Tarlton for his outstanding leadership as head coach of the North Greene High School boys' basketball team; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Sam Tarlton upon being named *The Greeneville Sun*'s Boys' Basketball Coach of the Year and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success both on and off the court. 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.