

No. R-110. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2017 Burr and Burton Academy Bulldogs championship girls' snowboarding team.

(H.C.R.85)

Offered by: Representatives Olsen of Londonderry, Keefe of Manchester, Browning of Arlington, Chesnut-Tangerman of Middletown Springs, Sibia of Dover, and Sullivan of Dorset

Whereas, the Burr and Burton Academy (BBA) Bulldogs girls' snowboarding team has repeatedly exhibited command and expertise on Vermont's snow-laden slopes, and

Whereas, the BBA girls nearly won the 2016 championship and prepared this winter with the focused objective of clinching the 2017 State title at the two-day Killington championship meet, and

Whereas, not surprisingly, Bellows Free Academy, the 2016 champion, once again proved the Bulldogs' chief rival for the championship, and

Whereas, after tying on the first day of competition with equal points in the halfpipe competition, and BBA claiming the slopeside title, the concluding giant slalom became the decisive event, and BBA in a closely contested competition won this third event and the 2017 championship, and

Whereas, the Bulldogs returned home to Manchester to a boisterous welcome, consisting of a Manchester Fire Department escort and climbing the steps of BBA Seminary Building to the belfry to ring the school bell, and

Whereas, the winning Bulldog snowboarders were Una Langran, Allie Nowicki, Suni Johnson, and Azurah Booth-Gage, and

Whereas, Head Coach Jason Thomas and assistant coach Tyler Emond were ideal supporters of the team, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2017 Burr and Burton Academy Bulldogs championship girls' snowboarding team, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Burr and Burton Academy.