**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO SALUTE THE CHAPIN HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADING TEAM, COACHES, AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS FOR A SUPERLATIVE SEASON AND TO HONOR THEM FOR WINNING THE SOUTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE CLASS AAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

Whereas, on Saturday, November 21, 2015, the Chapin High School cheerleading team once again showed its championship caliber at the state competition, by taking home the first‑place trophy; and

Whereas, an exultant cheering section in Colonial Life Arena’s stands supported the team, and the team in return gave its fans something to cheer about: a fantastic final tally of 341; and

Whereas, the win also gave Head Coach Vicki Williams of Chapin something to cheer about: her tenth state title and the South Carolina record for the most state championships by a cheer coach; and

Whereas, this newest championship delivered a second‑straight title to Chapin, as well as its eleventh title overall, a state of affairs that may necessitate the construction of a new trophy case to house all the honors the cheerleading team continues to accumulate; and

Whereas, the price of the win was a dedication that demanded practice seven days a week. The team and its coach counted the chance at another title worth the necessary self‑discipline; and

Whereas, proud of the consummate grace, skill, commitment, and sportsmanship consistently displayed by the members of the Chapin High School cheerleading team, the South Carolina House of Representatives takes great pleasure in commending them for their latest achievement. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, salute the Chapin High School cheerleading team, coaches, and school officials for a superlative season and honor them for winning the South Carolina High School League Class AAA State Championship title.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Principal Akil Ross and Head Coach Vicki Williams.

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