

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 176

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A RESOLUTION

To commend Corine Poncho on her many accomplishments.

WHEREAS, Corine Poncho has been a standout softball player at Notre Dame High School of Acadia Parish and has helped her team win the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2022 Softball Division III state title; and

WHEREAS, an outstanding athlete, Corine was the nation's home run leader in 2022 and played the positions of first base, third base, left field, short-stop, and pitcher; and

WHEREAS, during the 2022 softball season, Corine had forty-nine hits with thirty-two of those hits being home runs; Corine drove in seventy-two runs and finished her high school softball career with a seventeen-game hitting streak; and

WHEREAS, on the mound, Corine ended the 2022 softball season with an overall record of twelve wins and one loss with fifty-three strikeouts in fifty-three point two innings of work; and

WHEREAS, in addition to a successful individual career at Notre Dame High School of Acadia, Corine Poncho has also been a member of back-to-back Louisiana state championship title teams; and

WHEREAS, Corine earned All-Louisiana first team honors and was named the most outstanding player of the 2021 and 2022 state championship title games; and

WHEREAS, Corine Poncho has excelled as a travel ball player with the Tennessee-based Mojo-Fisher Premier Girls Fastpitch (PGF) team where she helped her team win the 2019 Premier Girls Fastpitch 14U Premier National Championship Title; and

WHEREAS, Corine continues to play travel ball and she currently plays for the Birmingham Thunderbolts 18U Premier; and

WHEREAS, Corine's drive and determination to excel at the sport of softball has resulted in her being poised to play softball at the collegiate level and she is fielding offers from schools such as Louisiana State University, the University of Alabama, and Florida State University.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend Corine Poncho on her many accomplishments and extends sincerest hopes for her continued success for many years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to Corine Poncho.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE