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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 27

BY REPRESENTATIVE LORUSSO

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Mount Carmel Academy upon winning the Class 5A girls' basketball championship

A RESOLUTION

2	To commend the Mount Carmel Academy girls' basketball team upon winning the 2014
3	Class 5A state basketball championship and to congratulate the Cubs on an
4	outstanding 2013-2014 season.
5	WHEREAS, the Mount Carmel Academy basketball team made school history by
6	capturing the school's first basketball state title on March 8, 2014, after defeating Destrehan
7	High School by nine points in a thrilling championship game that ended with a final score
8	of 69-60; and
9	WHEREAS, the Mount Carmel Academy basketball team not only made school
10	history, but also state history by being the lowest-seeded team to win a girls' basketball state
11	championship in any classification since the Louisiana High School Athletic Association
12	made the switch from a power rankings format to seed teams in 2008; and
13	WHEREAS, members of the Mount Carmel Academy basketball team shot thirty-
14	nine percent from the field, thirty-nine percent from deep, and held Destrehan High School's
15	basketball team to thirty-seven percent shooting; and
16	WHEREAS, each young woman of the Mount Carmel basketball team deserves
17	recognition for her vital contribution to the winning effort; and
18	WHEREAS, Panos Bountovinas, coach of the Cubs, has instilled in the players the
19	kind of leadership and motivational skills needed to achieve wins both on and off the court;
20	and

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1 WHEREAS, through their display of dedication and teamwork, the Mount Carmel

- 2 Academy basketball team has brought a tremendous display of honor and pride to its school
- 3 and local community.
- 4 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
- 5 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the young women of the Mount Carmel
- 6 Academy basketball team upon winning the 2014 Class 5A state basketball championship,
- 7 does hereby express sincere congratulations to the Cubs in recognition of their first state
- 8 championship basketball title, and does hereby extend to the team and coach best wishes for
- 9 a successful future.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
- 11 to the Mount Carmel Academy basketball team.

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