

Regular Session, 2014

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 156

BY SENATOR JOHNS

COMMENDATIONS. Commends the St. Louis Girls Track and Field team upon winning the 2014 Class 3A outdoor track and field championship.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the St. Louis Girls Track and Field team upon winning the 2014 Class 3A  
3 outdoor track and field championship.

4 WHEREAS, the state outdoor track and field meet was held at the LSU Bernie  
5 Moore Stadium on the Louisiana State University campus in Baton Rouge with the Class 3A  
6 meet being on May 10; and

7 WHEREAS, the St. Louis High School girls of Lake Charles, Louisiana, earned a  
8 score of eighty-four points, a solid victory over their closest competitor; and

9 WHEREAS, championship finishes were recorded as follows: javelin,  
10 Alexis Rigmaiden; 800-meter run, Kaitlyn Tunks; and 400-meter dash, Hannah Jackson; and

11 WHEREAS, runner-up finishes were recorded as follows: javelin, Drew Chatters;  
12 shot put, Rhea Thompson; 300-meter hurdles, Shondalynn Jasmine; 4 x 100-meter relay,  
13 Ellen Briley, Shondalynn Jasmine, Drew Chatters, and Hannah Jackson; and 4 x 200-  
14 meter relay, Shondalynn Jasmine, Kaitlyn Tunks, Drew Chatters, and Hannah Jackson; and

15 WHEREAS, third and fourth place finishes were recorded as follows: third-place  
16 discus, Rhea Thompson; and fourth-place pole vault, Ellen Briley; and

17 WHEREAS, the team was filled with a highly talented group of young women,  
18 including the following: Madeline Koenig, Laura Lewing, Maddie Mack, Jasmine Abel,

1 Jamie Gilmore, Lauren Hammond, Elaina Kilpatrick, Maris Nixon, Shayla Stevens,  
2 Maddie Lechtenburg, Tabitha Sonnier, and Jasmine Weber; and

3 WHEREAS, the St. Louis Girls Track and Field team was lead by a skilled group of  
4 coaches including Head Coach Tommy Johns and assistant coaches, Johnny Giordano,  
5 Trey Harts, Chad Coltharp, Chad Dore, Chris Jones, Kames Kirkendall, and Greg Latour;  
6 and

7 WHEREAS, the St. Louis Girls Track and Field team is the back-to-back state  
8 champions having won the state championship in both 2013 and 2014.

9 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby  
10 commend the St. Louis Girls Track and Field team upon winning the 2014 Class 3A outdoor  
11 track and field championship.

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to  
13 Head Coach Tommy Johns.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Margaret M. Corley.

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DIGEST

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