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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 240

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIKE JOHNSON

COMMENDATIONS: Commends the Buckeye High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Select Division II state championship

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the Buckeye High School softball team on winning the Louisiana High School
3 Athletic Association 2023 Select Division II state championship.

4 WHEREAS, the Buckeye High School Panthers softball team captured the 2023
5 Select Division II state title by defeating Vandebilt Catholic High School, 4-1, in the
6 championship game held in Sulphur, Louisiana; and

7 WHEREAS, the Panthers were the top-seeded team in the Select Division II playoff
8 bracket; after a first-round bye, the team went on to defeat Evangel Christian, E.D. White,
9 and David Thibodaux STEM Magnet Academy to set up a clash between the division's top-
10 seeded teams; and

11 WHEREAS, in the championship game against Vandebilt Catholic, the Panthers
12 were led offensively by Allison Brossett, Maddie Sinclair, Adysen Mitchell, and MaKinley
13 Miller; Olivia Henry pitched an incredible game striking out five batters and being named
14 the tournament's MVP; and

15 WHEREAS, the victory gives the Buckeye High School softball program its second-
16 consecutive state championship; and

17 WHEREAS, the members of the team are Rosalee Richey, Alli Trammell, Olivia
18 Henry, Allison Brossett, Sadie St. Pé, Sidney St. Pé, Rynne Lewis, Madison Sinclair, Sadie
19 Smith, Adysen Mitchell, Kaylee Rayburn, MaKinley Miller, Natalie Graves, Kennedi Hines,
20 Rylee Ryan, Bella Boone, Ashlee Belgard, Sophia Morgan, and Rikki Nitz; the team is

1 coached by head coach Justin Kees and assistant coaches Chalayne Beaubouef and Heather
2 Neill-Salgado; additionally, Riley Grace Kees serves as the team's manager; they are all
3 deserving of the highest recognition for their incredible season.

4 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
5 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Buckeye High School softball team on
6 winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2023 Select Division II state
7 championship and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that they continue their incredible
8 work and always strive for greatness.

DIGEST

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