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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014**

### HOUSE RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING THE CHEERLEADERS AND COACHES OF THE TOLMAN HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADING TEAM ON WINNING THE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIP

Introduced By: Representatives Messier, E Coderre, and Johnston

Date Introduced: April 17, 2014

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, It is fitting that this House recognizes those students who, through their 2 talents and unflagging commitment to excellence, have distinguished themselves and their 3 communities; and 4 WHEREAS, The Tolman High School Cheerleading Team comprised of team members 5 Alexandra Aguiar, Samantha Aguilar, Ivelisse Avila, Cristin Chiaverini, Stephanie Dosthene, Caterina Estrela, Allison Feather, Justice Gaudreau, Megan Klemanchuck, Kathryn Marchese, 6 7 Meghan Maynard, Jahayra Navarro, Kelly Ogden, Kelsey Pedro, Mackenzie Plante, Jaidyn Quinn, Raivon Reynolds, Patricia Santos, Alexia Wahl, and Alexus Xavier, under the guidance of 8 9 Head Coach Jessica MacLaughlin, and Assistant Coaches Sarah Bolano and Chelsea Worthington 10 have experienced a momentous achievement that no other Rhode Island Team of Cheerleaders 11 ever attained; and 12 WHEREAS, With beauty and grace under pressure and demonstrating amazing athletic 13 skills, members of the Tolman Cheerleading Team jumped, danced, twirled, and chanted their 14 way to victory in the Division III New England Regional Championship, beating teams from 15 twelve other schools from five New England states; and WHEREAS, High school athletic programs provide students with the opportunity to 16 17 participate in rewarding team experiences and programs that enhance their overall educational 18 experience and oftentimes create life-long memories; and

WHEREAS, These talented young ladies are most certainly a tremendous source of pride

not only for their parents, but for their school and community as well, and we are proud to honor their triumph; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations hereby applauds and congratulates team members and coaches of the Tolman High School Cheerleading Team on winning the Division III New England Regional Championship. We furthermore extend our sincere wishes for their continued success, good health, and much happiness; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Jessica MacLaughlin, Head Coach of the Tolman Cheerleading Team.

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