

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 385

By Windle

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Alex Fountain of Wartburg Central High School on his selection as the 2012-2013 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A Mr. Basketball award winner.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to specially honor and commend those successful high school athletes who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to the State of Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable athlete is Alex Fountain of Wartburg Central High School, a player of extraordinary talent, skill, and athleticism, who received the 2012-2013 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A Mr. Basketball award; and

WHEREAS, during the 2012-13 season, Alex Fountain dominated the basketball court as he averaged 24.1 points, 11.5 rebounds, and 1.1 blocks per game for Wartburg; and

WHEREAS, a 6-foot-7 senior, Mr. Fountain has recently signed a national letter of intent to play collegiate basketball for Houston Baptist at the Division 1 level; and

WHEREAS, Alex Fountain epitomizes all that is good in today's student-athlete, as he has achieved a high level of success in sports, while evincing great character both on and off the court; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Fountain's extraordinary honor is a source of great pride for his family and community as well as his school, and it is appropriate that we pause to honor and commend this elite athlete; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Alex Fountain on being named the 2012-2013 TSSAA Class A Mr. Basketball and wish him every success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.