HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 386

By Windle

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Jaycee Coe of Jackson County High School on her selection as the 2012-2013 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A Miss 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 Jaycee Coe, a player of extraordinary talent, skill, and athleticism, who received the 2012-2013 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association Class A Miss Basketball award; and

WHEREAS, a junior at Jackson County High School, Jaycee Coe enjoyed a magical season as the Lady Blue Devils vanquished every foe, claiming both the Division 7-A and Region 4-A titles on the way to winning the Class A state championship; and

WHEREAS, an extraordinarily gifted athlete, Miss Coe was also named MVP of the state tournament as she averaged 21.0 points, 11.7 rebounds, and 2.3 blocks per game; and

WHEREAS, during the 2012-13 season, Jaycee Coe dominated the basketball court as she averaged 17.8 points, 5.4 rebounds, 2.9 assists, and 2.9 steals a game, including a high of 43 points in the sectional against Silverdale Baptist Academy that punched the team's ticket to the state tournament; and

WHEREAS, having already pledged her commitment to the University of Kentucky earlier in the season, Miss Coe is ranked as one of the top juniors in the entire country; and

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

WHEREAS, Miss Coe's extraordinary honor is a source of great pride for her family and community as well as her 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 Jaycee Coe on being named the 2012-2013 TSSAA Class A Miss Basketball and wish her every success in her 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.