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## RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, The Duncanville High School girls' basketball team
- 2 has again reached the pinnacle of success by winning the 2003 UIL
- 3 Class 5A state championship, the school's sixth title in its
- 4 storied hardwood history; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Carrying the No. 1 Class 5A ranking into the state
- 6 championship game with Georgetown High School, this remarkable
- 7 Duncanville team fulfilled its lofty expectations, employing a
- 8 stifling defense to overwhelm its opponent 47-27 and reclaim the
- 9 coveted crown; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Duncanville's return to state dominance was a result
- of total dedication to the team concept by players Tammy Bartosh,
- 12 April O'Neal, Jamie Barr, Jamira Armstrong, LaJeanna Howard,
- 13 Rochelle Vance, Chastity McGary, Tiffany Jackson, Destanie Sykes,
- 14 Ceren Unal, Morgan Williams, Mariana Mergerson, Courtney
- 15 Cunningham, Jessica Henderson, and Jessica Stephenson; and
- WHEREAS, Head Coach Cathy Self-Morgan provided her young
- 17 charges with inspired leadership and guidance, and she was ably
- 18 supported in her efforts by assistant coaches Elesha Walker,
- 19 Jennifer Polk, and Bretagne Galbreath; and
- WHEREAS, The team's exceptional student-athletes, with their
- 21 coaches and staff, are a source of great pride to all those
- 22 associated with Duncanville High School, and it is truly
- 23 appropriate that the team receive special legislative recognition
- 24 at this time; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas Legislature hereby congratulate the members of the Duncanville High School girls' basketball team on winning the 2003 UIL Class 5A state championship and extend to them sincere best wishes for continued success; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be prepared for the team members and coaching staff as an expression of high regard by the Texas House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 525 was adopted by the House on March 31, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House