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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, For the second straight year, the Lindale High 2 School academic team has won the UIL Class 3A State Academic 3 Championship, capturing this year's title by a remarkable 49 4 points; and

5 WHEREAS, The State Academic Championship goes to the school 6 in each conference that earns the highest total points for all 7 academic events, including the state cross-examination debate, the 8 state one-act play, and the multievent state academic meet; and

9 WHEREAS, Lindale High School's academic team performed 10 superbly in several categories, scoring points in computer science, 11 editorial writing, feature writing, and informative speaking, 12 among others; and

13 WHEREAS, Notably, the school's debate squad proved so strong 14 that two of the school's teams were pitted against one another in 15 the final round, ensuring first and second place for these highly 16 skilled deliberators; and

WHEREAS, Members of the academic team include Candice King, Nicole Yeakley, Brittany Allen, Xiaoyun Wang, Brandon Buck, Wade Barker, Rory McKenzie, J. J. Wulff, Jacob Hopson, and Kye Harris, each of whom made a valuable contribution to the team's overall success; and

22 WHEREAS, These exceptional students received guidance and 23 support from Janice Caldwell, their teacher and coach, who provided 24 tutoring in the different disciplines and challenged each of the

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1 teens to reach for the stars; and

2 WHEREAS, Members of the Lindale High School academic team may 3 be justifiably proud of their significant achievement, and the 4 memory of this state academic championship will undoubtedly serve 5 as inspiration for years to come; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas 7 Legislature hereby congratulate the members of the Lindale High 8 School academic team and coach Janice Caldwell on winning the 2005 9 UIL State Academic Championship and extend best wishes to them for 10 continued success in all their endeavors; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 12 prepared for the team as an expression of high regard by the Texas 13 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 2185 was adopted by the House on May 29, 2005, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House