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R E S O L U T I O N

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

17 WHEREAS, Members of the academic team include Candice King,
18 Nicole Yeakley, Brittany Allen, Xiaoyun Wang, Brandon Buck, Wade
19 Barker, Rory McKenzie, J. J. Wulff, Jacob Hopson, and Kye Harris,
20 each of whom made a valuable contribution to the team's overall
21 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

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.