SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 389

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize Coach Leta Andrews of Granbury High School on the occasion of her 1,334th win, which establishes her as the most victorious coach in American high school basketball history; and

WHEREAS, Coach Andrews began her remarkable career in 1962 at Tolar High School; driven by the will to succeed, she studied under legendary University of Kentucky coach Adolph Rupp, who helped expand her understanding of the game's fundamentals and its nuances; she first taught at Granbury High School from 1976 to 1980; and

WHEREAS, Over the course of her career, Coach Andrews has amassed 34 consecutive seasons with 20 or more wins and has taken 14 teams to the state tournament, and in 1990, she guided Corpus Christi Calallen High School to the state championship title; and

WHEREAS, Coach Andrews returned to Granbury High School in 1992 and in 2005 became the winningest high school girls' basketball coach in history; surpassing the record for boys' basketball and becoming the most victorious coach in history is a testament to her superior skills and her determination; and

WHEREAS, Coach Andrews has instilled in many generations of players the importance of teamwork and a strong work ethic; her enduring emphasis on building character in all aspects of life has served as an inspiration to her students and her colleagues for nearly 50 years; and

WHEREAS, Coach Andrews has had a profound influence on countless young people, preparing them for success both on and off the court, and she is truly deserving of recognition for her dedication and commitment as she passes this historic milestone; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 82nd Legislature, hereby commend Coach Leta Andrews on her exceptional career and extend to her congratulations on becoming the most victorious coach in American high school basketball history; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her as an expression of high regard from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on March 2, 2011.

Secretary of the Senate