By Senator Clary

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1 Senate Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ 2 A resolution commending the Gulf Coast 3 Community College Lady Commodores Basketball 4 Team. 5 6 WHEREAS, the Gulf Coast Community College Ladies 7 basketball program finished the 2003 regular season with an undefeated record of 35-0, and 8 9 WHEREAS, each year there is a state and national 10 championship to determine which basketball team is the best in its division, and 11 12 WHEREAS, the Gulf Coast Community College Lady Commodores won the Region VIII State Championship by defeating 13 Okaloosa-Walton Community College, and thus qualifying the 14 "Dores" for the National Junior College Athletic Association 15 National Tournament, and 16 17 WHEREAS, the Lady Commodores defeated Western Nebraska in the NJCAA National Championship game to claim the Title of 18 19 Division I National Champions, and 20 WHEREAS, the team consists of Tasha Phillips, Tracy 21 Jacobs, Anedra Gilmore, Tanesheia Thompson, Milan Cary, 22 Vernette Skeete, Marla Harrell, Natashia Morehead, Katrina Martello, Tiffany Stansbury, Alexis Jackson, Malin Andersson, 23 Stevenique Richardson, and Dovile Gulbinaite, and 24 25 WHEREAS, the Lady Commodores coaches, Roonie Scovel and 26 assistant coach Grover Hicks, have consistently demonstrated 27 the ability to work together to accomplish the team's goals, 2.8 and 29 WHEREAS, it is fitting and appropriate that the Florida 30 Senate commend the Gulf Coast Community College Ladies

Basketball Team for winning both the State and National Championships, NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida: That the Florida Senate pauses in it deliberations to commend the Gulf Coast Community College Ladies Basketball Team for its extraordinary accomplishments as both State and National Champions.