

HR 9001A 2003

House Resolution

A resolution congratulating the Seminole Community College Raiders Baseball Championship Team.

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WHEREAS, on May 13, 2003, at Osceola County Stadium, the Seminole Community College Men's Baseball Team won the Region VIII Florida Community College Activities Association State Baseball Tournament in a determined effort to become the school's first ever state baseball champions, and

WHEREAS, in their steady advance toward the title during the play-offs, the Raiders defeated Broward Community College 5-2, St. Petersburg College 14-12 and 9-5, and Indian River Community College 11-5 before realizing a 6-4 victory over Okaloosa-Walton Community College in the final game of the tournament, and

WHEREAS, winning FCCAA Tournament awards were Raiders

Donnie Burkhalter, Most Valuable Player, and Zach McCamie, Most

Valuable Pitcher; making All-Tournament Team were Donnie

Burkhalter, Sean Greear, Mike Hnytka, John Michael Howell, Zach

McCamie, and Courtney Propst; and Head Coach Mike Nicholson was

named Coach of the Year, and

WHEREAS, while noting some of the factors that had affected regular season play and expressing his enormous pride in the team's efforts during the play-offs, Coach Nicholson is confidently looking forward to the Seminole Community College Raiders State Champions' participation in the 10-team NJCAA College World Series in Grand Junction, Colorado, on May 24-31, 2003, NOW, THEREFORE,



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Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That the Seminole Community College Raiders are enthusiastically congratulated on their attainment of the 2003 Region VIII Florida Community College Activities Association State Baseball Championship and are assured of the avid support and genuine best wishes of the Members of this House as the team competes in the NJCAA College World Series on May 24-31, 2003.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be presented to Head Coach Mike Nicholson as a tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein.