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House Resolution

A resolution congratulating the Citrus Park Little League Senior Girls Softball Team, 2005 World Series Champions.

WHEREAS, the path that would lead the Citrus Park Little League Senior Girls Softball Team to its World Championship title began in Clearwater, Florida, when the team ended its 2002 season as runner-up in the state championship tournament, and

WHEREAS, spurred by the realization that victory had been just beyond their grasp, the team members redoubled their efforts and for the next 2 years earned recognition as the top Little League Senior Girls League Softball team in Florida and, during those same 2 years, as Southern Region Runner-up, and

WHEREAS, not content to rest on their laurels, in 2005 the hardworking members of the Citrus Park team took the State Championship title for the third consecutive season and went on to win the Regional Championship game to qualify for a chance at the World Series semifinals, and

WHEREAS, the team and coaches truly experienced the first fruits of their hard work and unrelenting determination when the Citrus Park team advanced to the World Series Championship game against the series titleholder, Puerto Rico, and

WHEREAS, on August 13, 2005, after a grueling battle between two superb Little League Senior Girls Softball teams, the Citrus Park team saw the fulfillment of a 3-year dream when the team defeated Puerto Rico 1-0 to walk away with the title of 2005 World Champions, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

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32 That the House of Representatives offers this public
33 commendation of the Citrus Park Little League Senior Girls
34 Softball Team, winner of the 2005 World Series Championship
35 title in its league; recognizes the outstanding accomplishments
36 of the players in attaining the pinnacle of success in their
37 sport; applauds this example of the greatness that can be
38 achieved through the power of a team spirit fired by the
39 exceptional dedication, determination, and unwavering effort
40 exhibited by the team members in reaching their remarkable goal;
41 and congratulates each member of the team for the distinction
42 she has brought to herself, her community, and the State of
43 Florida.

44 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be
45 presented to each member and coach of that 2005 World Series
46 Championship team as a tangible token of the sentiments
47 expressed herein.