No. R-165. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2016-17 Champlain Valley Union High School Redhawks Division I championship boys' Nordic skiing team.

(H.C.R.130)

Offered by: Representatives Yantachka of Charlotte, Brumsted of Shelburne, Lippert of Hinesburg, Macaig of Williston, McCullough of Williston, and Webb of Shelburne

Offered by: Senators Ingram and Lyons

Whereas, the 2016-17 Nordic ski season was assisted with a generous supply of snow, and

Whereas, the boys Nordic skiers at Champlain Valley Union High School took advantage of the more plentiful powder to perfect their mastery of the cross-country courses, and

Whereas, the two-day 2016-17 Nordic State championship tournament featured the classic events at the Rikert Touring Center in Ripton and, the following day, skate races at the Craftsbury Outdoor Center, and

Whereas, the Redhawks dominated Division I competition, winning the morning individual races and the afternoon relays each day to secure the 2016-17 Division I title, and

Whereas, the confident CVU Nordic boy skiers responsible for this great success were Baxter Bishop, Tyler Marshall, Jared Leonard, Jack Koskinen, Harken Spillane, Justin McAuliffe, Patrick Gooley, Clark Schmitt, and Matthew Silverman, and

Whereas, Head Coach Sarah Strack and assistant coaches Eli Enman and King Milne cheered the Redhawks on to victory, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2016-17 Champlain Valley Union High School Redhawks Division I championship boys' Nordic skiing team, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Champlain Valley Union High School.