State of Vermont House of Representatives



Montpelier, Vermont

Concurrent House Resolution

H.C.R. 85

House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2017 Burr and Burton Academy Bulldogs championship girls' snowboarding team

Offered by: Representatives Olsen of Londonderry, Keefe of Manchester, Browning of Arlington, Chesnut-Tangerman of Middletown Springs, Sibilia of Dover, and Sullivan of Burlington

<u>Whereas</u>, the Burr and Burton Academy (BBA) Bulldogs girls' snowboarding team has repeatedly exhibited command and expertise on Vermont's snow-laden slopes, and

<u>Whereas</u>, the BBA girls nearly won the 2016 championship and prepared this winter with the focused objective of clinching the 2017 State title at the two-day Killington championship meet, and

<u>Whereas</u>, not surprisingly, Bellows Free Academy, the 2016 champion, once again proved the Bulldogs' chief rival for the championship, and

<u>Whereas</u>, after tying on the first day of competition with equal points in the halfpipe competition, and BBA claiming the slopeside title, the concluding giant slalom became the decisive event, and BBA in a closely contested competition won this third event and the 2017 championship, and

<u>Whereas</u>, the Bulldogs returned home to Manchester to a boisterous welcome, consisting of a Manchester Fire Department escort and climbing the steps of BBA Seminary Building to the belfry to ring the school bell, and

Whereas, the winning Bulldog snowboarders were Una Langran, Allie Nowicki, Suni Johnson, and Azurah Booth-Gage, and

<u>Whereas</u>, Head Coach Jason Thomas and assistant coach Tyler Emond were ideal supporters of the team, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly congratulates the 2017 Burr and Burton Academy Bulldogs championship girls' snowboarding team, and be it further

<u>Resolved</u>: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to Burr and Burton Academy.