HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, 2010 STATE OF HAWAII H.R. NO.255

HOUSE RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM ON ITS 2010 HAWAII HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION DIVISION II STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

WHEREAS, school athletics has offered Hawaii's youth 1 2 countless rewarding, challenging, and enjoyable opportunities to apply their physical and mental skills to athletic competition; 3 and 4 5 6 WHEREAS, the KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM's superb athletic ability, keen competitive 7 8 spirit, and fine sportsmanship has earned them the noteworthy 9 2010 Hawaii High School Athletic Association Division II State 10 Championship; and 11 WHEREAS, this outstanding team, which includes Canny Aikau, 12 13 Pua Akaka, Nicole Chipen-Ii, Dejah Fa'asoa, Letishah Fa'asoa, 14 Vaioleti Mikaele, Mikki Morihara, Keana Paez, Alison Pologa, and Tanya Villanueva, has gained immense athletic training and 15 discipline, cultivated admirable sportsmanlike conduct, and 16 enhanced their athletic abilities; and 17 18 19 WHEREAS, this outstanding team is under the faithful quidance of Head Coach Mona Fa'asoa and Assistant Coaches 20 21 Bronson Omura, Elia Akau, and Jerome Pacarro with the assistance of athletic trainers Kealii Loo and Nat Pada, team manager 22 Taiana Loketi, statisticians Kara Hayashida and Mindy Hirokawa, 23 24 and team mom Wendy Villanueva; and 25 WHEREAS, on February 13, 2010, the KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL 26 BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM upended defending 27 champions Kahuku High School, 58-52, to win the Oahu 28 Interscholastic Association White Title, greatly assisted by 29 sophomore Dejah Fa'asoa, the high scorer with 24 points; and 30



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WHEREAS, for the week of February 17, 2010, Kaimuki 1 Bulldogs Dejah Fa'asoa and Alison Pologa, who scored 20 points, 2 3 were named to the Athletes of the Week Honor Roll for their 4 stellar performances against Kahuku; and 5 6 WHEREAS, on February 19, 2010, the KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL 7 BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM beat Molokai 41-32 by 8 recovering from a one-point deficit at halftime with timely 3point shooting, successful free throws, and limited turnovers to 9 give Kaimuki High School its first state championship; and 10 11 12 WHEREAS, the KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM won by using a triangle-and-two defense to 13 14 smother Molokai's offense, limiting Molokai's top scorer to just six field-goal attempts for the whole game, and forcing 20 15 turnovers; and 16 17 18 WHEREAS, much of the success of the KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL 19 BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM is attributed to the cohesive and dedicated efforts of the entire team: the coaches, 20 21 athletic trainers, team manager, statisticians, team mom and 22 athletes; now, therefore, 23 24 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session 25 of 2010, that this body hereby congratulates and recognizes the 26 27 KAIMUKI HIGH SCHOOL BULLDOGS VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM, and extends to them its warmest aloha and best wishes for continued 28 success in all future endeavors. 29 30

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