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COMMENDING THE SPRINGWOOD HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM FOR WINNING THE 2016 AISA CLASS 2A STATE 9 10 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

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WHEREAS, it is with great pride and pleasure that the members of the Springwood High School Girls Basketball Team in Lanett, Alabama, is congratulated for winning the 2016 AISA Class 2A State Basketball Championship and in recognition thereof, the team members, the coaching staff, and all of those individuals associated with the team are deserving of special public commendation; and

WHEREAS, the Springwood Girls Basketball Team capped an undefeated season at 30-0 winning the school's first girls state basketball championship since 1993; under the leadership of Coach Rick Johnson, the Springwood girls basketball team has been building for several years to become the first team in school history to go undefeated; and

WHEREAS, the unparalleled success of the team is the result of not only the devotion and hard work of the team members, but also the experience, dedication, and leadership

provided by Coach Johnson; defeating South Choctaw 47-31 in the final championship game, Springwood's Tazsa Garrett-Hammett was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player; and

WHEREAS, with every game played in the spirit and tradition of good sportsmanship and fair play, each member of the Lady Wildcats is indeed to be praised for her integral part in achieving this coveted goal and ending the season with an exciting championship tournament victory; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That the Springwood High School Girls Basketball Team is herein recognized, honored, and commended for winning the 2016 AISA Class 2A State Basketball Championship and it is directed that a copy of this resolution be provided to Coach Rick Johnson for appropriate school display with our sincere best wishes for success in all future endeavors.