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3 By Representative Morrow
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8 COMMENDING CHRIS HEAPS UPON BEING NAMED 2016-2017
9 COACH OF THE YEAR.

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11 WHEREAS, with great pleasure and highest regard, we
12 recognize Coach Chris Heaps of Russellville High School, upon
13 being named the 2016-2017 Baseball Coach of the Year by the
14 National Federation of State High School Coaches Association;
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16 WHEREAS, Coach Heaps is the head baseball coach of
17 the defending three-time state high school champions, the
18 Golden Tigers of Russellville High School; and

19 WHEREAS, on being nominated by the Alabama High
20 School Athletic Association and winning this prestigious
21 honor, Coach Heaps stated that he was humbled and credited the
22 entire coaching staff, the booster club, and the school
23 administration as well as his great athletes; and

24 WHEREAS, Coach Heaps has contributed expert guidance
25 and leadership as Head Baseball Coach and has instilled a
26 powerful sense of teamwork, character, sportsmanship, and
27 resolve into countless student athletes; and

1 WHEREAS, Coach Heaps has earned the respect of his
2 colleagues and the entire community, while making a positive
3 impact on the lives of the young athletes for whom he sets
4 high standards in pursuit of excellence; now therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
6 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That with utmost admiration and
7 appreciation, Russellville High School Baseball Coach Chris
8 Heaps is highly commended on being named the 2016-2017 Coach
9 of the Year by the National Federation of State High School
10 Coaches Association and this resolution is offered in tribute
11 to him along with heartiest congratulations and best wishes
12 for continuing success.