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3 By Representative Faulkner
4 RFD: Rules
5 First Read: 15-Apr-25



1 Enrolled, An Act,

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3 COMMENDING STUDENT ATHLETE MARY KATHERINE MALONE FOR BEING
4 CHOSEN TO SING THE NATIONAL ANTHEM AT THE NCAA FINAL FOUR
5 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT.

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7 WHEREAS, with great pride and special pleasure,
8 highest commendations are herein presented to student
9 athlete and Mountain Brook, Alabama, native Mary Katherine
10 Malone for being chosen to sing the National Anthem at the
11 NCAA Final Four Basketball Tournament; and

12 WHEREAS, the National Collegiate Athletic Association
13 (NCAA) continued the long-standing tradition of choosing
14 talented student athletes from each of the four teams
15 competing in the Final Four to join together to sing the
16 National Anthem; and

17 WHEREAS, Mary Katherine Malone, a distance and cross
18 country runner on Auburn University's track and field team,
19 was chosen to represent Auburn; she was a standout athlete
20 at Mountain Brook High School where she competed in track
21 and field from the seventh to the 12th grade; she was a part
22 of nine track and cross country state championships during
23 her high school career; and she earned the individual state
24 championship in 2024 for the 1600 meter track event; and

25 WHEREAS, since joining the Auburn Tigers, Mary
26 Katherine has competed in the 5k at the Southern Showcase
27 with a time of 18:49.30 and the 6k at the Gans Creek Classic
28 with a time of 22:34.90; along with having dynamic voice,



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29 she is a talented piano player; now therefore,

30 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH

31 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That Mary Katherine Malone is

32 highly commended and congratulated for being chosen to

33 perform the National Anthem at the NCAA Men's Final Four

34 Basketball Tournament, and this resolution is offered to her

35 with best wishes for continued prosperity and success in all

36 future endeavors.



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46 Speaker of the House of Representatives
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51 President and Presiding Officer of the Senate
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56 I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
57 and was passed by the House 17-Apr-25.

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59 John Treadwell
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66 Senate

24-Apr-25

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