**A** **SENATE RESOLUTION**

TO COMMEND AND CONGRATULATE THE MEMBERS OF THE POWDERSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND IN ANDERSON COUNTY FOR WINNING THE 2012 CLASS A MARCHING BAND STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Whereas, the South Carolina Senate is pleased to learn that the members of the Powdersville High School Marching Band won their first Class A Marching Band State Championship; and

Whereas, the band, in its first year of existence, won the State 1A South Carolina Band Championship in October 2012; and

Whereas, Powdersville High School is located in Powdersville, S.C. and is a part of Anderson School District One; and

Whereas, marching bands that are classified as 1A have more than 144 members and groups are judged on musical performance, visual execution, and overall effect; and

Whereas, the band members, Band Director Leslie Phillips, and Assistant Director Nathan Hawkins are hard working and diligent in their marching pursuits and represent Powdersville High School well throughout the State and the Southeast. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate:

That the members of the South Carolina Senate, by this resolution, congratulate Powdersville High School Marching Band for winning the 2012 Class A Marching Band State Championship.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Powdersville High School.

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