**A** **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO SALUTE THE SPARTANBURG HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS TENNIS TEAM FOR NETTING THE 2018 CLASS AAAAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE AND TO HONOR THE PLAYERS AND HEAD COACH TODD SEAGLE ON A FABULOUS SEASON.

Whereas, on Saturday, November 10, 2018, Spartanburg’s girls tennis team was not to be denied as the Lady Vikings clinched the 2018 AAAAA State Championship title; and

Whereas, while exultant Lady Viking fans watched, Spartanburg defeated Wando 4‑3 in the battle for the state’s top prize in Class 5A girls tennis. It was a sweet ride for Spartanburg and completely overrode any remaining sadness from finishing as state runner‑up last year; and

Whereas, led by four seniors, Maggie Cubitt, Elizabeth Yex, Dawaysia Crocker, and Peyton O’Shields, the team showed the first‑quality material it was made of; and

Whereas, rightly proud of his team, Head Coach Todd Seagle has instilled a standard of excellence in his athletes that will serve them well throughout their lives, both on and off the court; and

Whereas, adding to the joy of the victory, All‑State and All‑American selection Maggie Cubitt won her fourth 5A‑4A Individual State Championship; and

Whereas, appreciative of the well‑deserved recognition these athletes have brought to their school and community, the House of Representatives congratulates the Lady Vikings, and the members look with interest toward hearing of their further exploits as tennis champions. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the members of the South Carolina House of Representatives, by this resolution, salute the Spartanburg High School girls tennis team for netting the 2018 Class AAAAA State Championship title and honor the players and Head Coach Todd Seagle on a fabulous season.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be presented to Principal Jeff Stevens and Coach Todd Seagle of Spartanburg High School.

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