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HR 1065

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5 By: Representative M. Gray

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 TO CONGRATULATE THE IZARD COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL COUGARS
9 FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS.

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12 **Subtitle**

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14 SCHOOL COUGARS FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS.

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17 WHEREAS, the 2019 Izard County High School Cougars boys basketball team
18 claimed the Class 1A State Championship trophy after the Cougars defeated the
19 Nevada Blue Jays with a score of 67-46 at the Bank OZK Arena in Hot Springs,
20 Arkansas; and

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22 WHEREAS, the Cougars had an overall record of 42-4 and claimed their
23 second state title since 2008; and

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25 WHEREAS, the Cougars were led by junior Justus Cooper, who finished the
26 game with 16 points, 15 rebounds, 3 blocks, 1 assist, and 1 steal, which
27 earned him Most Valuable Player honors; and

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29 WHEREAS, Justus Cooper, Coby Everett, and Caleb Faulkner were named All
30 Tournament players; and

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32 WHEREAS, during the Cougars' season-ending 22-game winning streak, the
33 Cougars' slimmest margin of victory was 14 points; and

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35 WHEREAS, the team was well-led by head coach Kyle McCandlis, who led
36 the team to its second state championship victory,



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NOW THEREFORE,
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

 THAT the House of Representatives congratulate the members of the Izard
County High School Cougars boys basketball team on winning the 2019 Class 1A
State Championship.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution shall be
presented to head coach Kyle McCandlis by the Chief Clerk of the House of
Representatives.