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## 8 SENATE RESOLUTION

9 TO HONOR UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FAYETTEVILLE  
10 BASKETBALL SCORING STAR IZZY HIGGINBOTTOM.  
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### 12 Subtitle

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16 IZZY HIGGINBOTTOM.  
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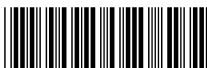
19 WHEREAS, Arkansas native Izzy Higginbottom has been a star player with  
20 the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville women's basketball team during the  
21 2024-2025 season; and  
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23 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom graduated from Batesville High School  
24 Charter and is the daughter of Rachel and Greg Mosier and Nathan  
25 Higginbottom; and  
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27 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom played her freshman season for the  
28 University of Missouri Tigers, then played two (2) seasons for the Arkansas  
29 State University at Jonesboro Red Wolves; and  
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31 WHEREAS, during her historic 2023-2024 junior-year season playing for  
32 the Red Wolves before her transfer to the University of Arkansas at  
33 Fayetteville, Izzy Higginbottom was an All-Sun Belt First Team selection and  
34 a top ten (10) scorer in the National Collegiate Athletic Association; and  
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36 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom said of her excitement to become a Razorback



1 during the 2024-2025 season, "As a little girl who grew up in the Natural  
2 State, I was always a huge Razorback fan . . . From the time I started  
3 playing, I knew my dream was to be a Razorback"; and  
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5 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom leads the Southeastern Conference and ranks  
6 third in the National Collegiate Athletic Association in scoring average with  
7 twenty-four and four-tenths (24.4) points per game, and she has registered  
8 thirty (30) double-digit scoring games, including twelve (12) Southeastern  
9 Conference games; and  
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11 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom currently leads the National Collegiate  
12 Athletic Association in total points at seven hundred eighty (780); and  
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14 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom recorded at least twenty-five (25) points in  
15 seventeen (17) games including nine (9) in Southeastern Conference play, the  
16 most in the National Collegiate Athletic Association; and  
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18 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom logged four (4) or more assists in fifteen  
19 (15) different games during the 2024-2025 season; and  
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21 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom leads the National Collegiate Athletic  
22 Association in freethrows made at two hundred forty-two (242), and leads the  
23 Southeastern Conference and ranks ninth in the National Collegiate Athletic  
24 Association in freethrow percentage at ninety and six-tenths percent (90.6%);  
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27 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom ranks third in the Southeastern Conference  
28 and sixth in the National Collegiate Athletic Association with two hundred  
29 fifty-one (251) field goals; and  
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31 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom logged a career-high forty (40) points  
32 against Florida this season to become just the fourth player in Razorbacks  
33 program history to reach this mark; and  
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35 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom set a Razorbacks record for the longest  
36 streak of thirty-plus point games in program history with three (3) straight

1 against the University of Kentucky, Texas A&M University, and the University  
2 of Florida; and  
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4 WHEREAS, against Texas A&M University on January 30, 2025, Izzy  
5 Higginbottom finished with thirty-three (33) points, ten (10) rebounds, and  
6 seven (7) assists for her first career double-double; and  
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8 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom was named the Southeastern Conference Player  
9 of the Week after scoring thirty-eight (38) points and leading Arkansas to a  
10 win over Boston College in the Southeastern Conference/Atlantic Coast  
11 Conference Challenge; and  
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13 WHEREAS, three (3) of Izzy Higginbottom's games sit in the top ten (10)  
14 of the highest scoring games in Razorbacks women's basketball history, and  
15 these include thirty-eight (38) points against Boston College, forty (40)  
16 points against the University of Florida, and thirty-eight (38) points  
17 against the University of Georgia; and  
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19 WHEREAS, Izzy Higginbottom was named an All-American honorable mention  
20 from the United States Basketball Writers Association and the Associated  
21 Press, and is the first Razorback to appear on either list since Chelsea  
22 Dungee during the 2020-2021 season,  
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24 NOW THEREFORE,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE  
26 STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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28 THAT the Senate honor University of Arkansas at Fayetteville Razorbacks  
29 basketball player Izzy Higginbottom for her incredible achievements that  
30 bring renown to her team and to the State of Arkansas.  
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32 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon adoption, a copy of this resolution be  
33 presented to Izzy Higginbottom by the Secretary of the Senate.  
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