

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 328

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCMAKIN

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Catholic High School baseball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division I Select state championship.

WHEREAS, the Catholic High School baseball team captured the 2024 Division I Select state title by defeating John Curtis Christian High School, 5-0, in the championship game held at McMurry Park in Sulphur, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, on the way to the championship game, the Bears defeated Pineville, Jesuit, and Acadiana; and

WHEREAS, the Catholic High School baseball team finished the season with a #1 national ranking in several prep baseball polls; and

WHEREAS, senior pitcher William Schmidt was honored as *The Advocate's* 2024 Star of Stars Boys Athlete of the year; and

WHEREAS, the Catholic High School Bears were honored as *The Advocate's* 2024 Star of Stars Boys Team of the Year; and

WHEREAS, the senior players have committed to play collegiate ball at Louisiana State University, Houston, University of Louisiana at Lafayette, Nicholls State University, and Loyola University; and

WHEREAS, Coach Brad Bass earned his 400th career victory during the season; and

WHEREAS, the Catholic High School Bear baseball team and coaching staff are most deserving of the highest recognition for the achievements of the 2024 baseball season.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the Catholic High School baseball team on winning the Louisiana High School Athletic Association 2024 Division I Select state championship and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that the members of the team continue their excellent work and always strive for greatness.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES