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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate the Christ Lutheran
4 School (Peoria) boys basketball team, the Comets, on a
5 remarkable 2025-26 season; and

6 WHEREAS, The Comets played against both 3A and 4A IESA
7 schools as well as Lutheran schools and in tournaments in St.
8 Louis, Missouri and Cedar Rapids, Iowa and hosted their
9 traditional Christ Lutheran Tournament; and

10 WHEREAS, The Comets participated in the Illinois Lutheran
11 State Tournament in Chicago, where they defeated their rival,
12 Concordia Lutheran School, in the championship game; and

13 WHEREAS, The Comets competed in the National Lutheran
14 Tournament in Fort Wayne, Indiana, finishing in 3rd place; and

15 WHEREAS, The Comets compiled a season record of 37 wins
16 and only 5 losses; and

17 WHEREAS, The Comets are led by Head Coach Terry Mooney
18 Jr., Assistant Coaches Terry Mooney Sr. and Marcellus
19 Sommerville, Athletic Director Jennifer Lamberti, and
20 Principal Nat Schmidtke; and

1 WHEREAS, The Comets are Demario Weldy, Ethan McElmurry,
2 Christian Fuller, Jay'Mir Williams, Camden Knox-Reed, Lawson
3 Sommerville, Dace Craig-Edwards, Caleb Morris, Terrance
4 Slater, Kayden Thomas, Channing Knox-Reed, Mahki Moll, Joel
5 Lloyd Clayton, and Nash Mooney; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
7 HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
8 we congratulate the Christ Lutheran School (Peoria) boys
9 basketball team, the Comets, on a remarkable 2025-26 season,
10 and we wish them many more successful seasons; and be it
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be
13 presented to the Comets' coaches and players as a symbol of our
14 respect and esteem.