

107TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. CON. RES. 391

Honoring the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers men's hockey and wrestling teams and the University of Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs women's hockey team for winning the 2002 National Collegiate Athletic Association championships.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 30, 2002

Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota (for himself, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. RAMSTAD, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. SABO, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. OBERSTAR) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

APRIL 30, 2002

Committee on Education and the Workforce discharged; considered under suspension of the rules and agreed to

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Honoring the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers men's hockey and wrestling teams and the University of Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs women's hockey team for winning the 2002 National Collegiate Athletic Association championships.

Whereas the University of Minnesota Gophers men's hockey team recently won the 2002 National Collegiate Athletic Association championship for the 4th time in the university's history;

Whereas the Minnesota Gophers men's hockey team had an impressive overall record of 32–8–4;

Whereas all but 1 of the players on the Minnesota Gophers men's hockey team are from Minnesota;

Whereas the Minnesota Gophers wrestling team won their second consecutive NCAA championship in 2002;

Whereas the Minnesota Gophers wrestling team was undefeated in the 2002 season and won the Big 10 Conference tournament;

Whereas the Minnesota Gophers wrestling team finished in the top 3 in the Nation for the 6th consecutive year;

Whereas 7 members of the Minnesota Gophers wrestling team earned All-American honors;

Whereas the Minnesota Gophers wrestling team produced 2 individual national champions;

Whereas on March 24, 2002, the defending NCAA Women's Ice Hockey National Champion, the University of Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs, won the national championship for the second straight year;

Whereas the Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs women's hockey team defeated Brown University in the championship game by the score of 3–2, having previously defeated Niagara University in the semi-final by the same score;

Whereas during the 2001–2002 season, the Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs women's hockey team won 24 games, while losing only 6, and tying 4; and

Whereas all of the players on the Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs women's hockey team showed tremendous dedication throughout the season toward the goal of winning the national championship;

Whereas all 3 of these teams display academic excellence by maintaining an average grade point average above the university-wide average; and

Whereas Congress should honor the excellence of athletic teams and encourage participation in collegiate athletics in order to build teamwork and dedication: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring)*, That Congress honors the University of Min-
3 nesota Golden Gophers men's hockey and wrestling teams
4 and the University of Minnesota-Duluth Bulldogs women's
5 hockey team for winning the 2002 National Collegiate
6 Athletic Association championships.

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