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HOUSE RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING EXETER/WEST GREENWICH GIRLS SOCCER COACH KEVIN FRASER ON BEING NAMED THE NSCAA/MONDO GIRLS DIVISION II NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR

Introduced By: Representatives Tomasso, Valencia, and Costa

Date Introduced: February 02, 2012

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, Before Kevin Fraser took over as the head coach of the Exeter/West 2 Greenwich Girls soccer team, it had won a total of four games in the handful of years since the 3 program was formed. Since Coach Fraser became coach, the Scarlet Knights have been to the 4 Division II semifinals eight times, have made it to the championship game each of the last three 5 years, and have won back-to-back titles in 2010 and 2011; and WHEREAS, In 2011, Coach Fraser led his team to a perfect 21-0 season on the way to 6 7 the State Championship. For his efforts, he was named the Rhode Island Small School Girls Coach of the Year, the New England Coach of the Year by the National Soccer Coaches 8 9 Association of America, and the NSCAA/Mondo Girls Division II National Coach of the Year; 10 and 11 WHEREAS, Coach Kevin Fraser's commitment to coaching and positively impacting the 12 lives of his players knows no limits. A retired firefighter living in New Hampshire with his wife, 13 Cindy, Coach Fraser makes a four and one-half hour commute to Rhode Island to coach his team 14 during the week. His players love him and respect him, and know that he is completely dedicated to getting the most out of them as players and guiding them on the right path as they mature into 15 16 responsible adults; now, therefore be it 17 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and 18 Providence Plantations hereby congratulates Coach Kevin Fraser of the Exeter/West Greenwich

Girls Division II Soccer Team on being named the NSCAA/Mondo Girls Division II National

- 1 Coach of the Year. We wish him continued success and happiness as he leads his team onward to
- 2 even greater success in the future; and be it further
- 3 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he hereby is authorized and directed to
- 4 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Coach Kevin Fraser.

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