Resolution

ENROLLED SENATE
RESOLUTION NO. 126

By: Ivester, Adelson, Aldridge, Anderson, Ballenger, Barrington, Bass, Bingman, Branan, Brogdon, Brown, Burrage, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crain, Crutchfield, Easley, Eason McIntyre, Ellis, Ford, Garrison, Gumm, Halligan, Johnson (Constance), Johnson (Mike), Jolley, Justice, Lamb, Laster, Leftwich, Lerblance, Marlatt, Mazzei, Myers, Newberry, Nichols, Paddack, Reynolds, Rice, Russell, Schulz, Sparks, Stanislawski, Sweeden, Sykes, Wilson and Wyrick

A Resolution congratulating the Sentinel Lady Bulldogs Softball Team for winning the 2010 Class 2A State Slow-Pitch Softball Championship; commending their record; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, if there ever was a day to remember in the history of Sentinel High School's women's slow-pitch softball program, it was at the State Class 2A slow-pitch softball state tournament in Oklahoma City; and

WHEREAS, the Lady "Dawgs", as they are affectionately known, entered the state tournament ranked eighth in Class 2A and as the seventh seed. The previous week the Lady Bulldogs had lost in the regional opener where they were runner-up; and

WHEREAS, in what was the best single day in its women's slow-pitch softball history, the Lady Bulldogs were not favored to win any of the three games they played that day. They played the number one-, number two-, and number six-ranked teams and outscored them by a combined total of 53 to 27; and

WHEREAS, the Sentinel wins were even more impressive when one realized that the Lady "Dawgs" defeated the defending state champions who were top rated all season and seeded number one in the tournament. The Lady Bulldogs finished the tournament not just winning gold rings, finishing the season with a 27 to 8 record, but bringing home the school's first slow-pitch softball state championship.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate congratulates the Sentinel Lady Bulldogs Softball Team for winning the 2010 District and Class 2A State Slow-Pitch Softball Championship, the first slow-pitch softball state championship in the school's history.

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate commends the 2010 Sentinel Lady Bulldogs Slow-Pitch Softball Team for battling as an underdog all season, then sweeping the state championship tournament and finishing their season with a 27 to 8 record.

THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Sentinel Lady Bulldogs Softball Coach Leland Williams.

Adopted by the Senate the 20th day of May, 2010.

A. Boyd Mordhorst

Presiding Officer of the Senate

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Secretary of State this 21st **day of** May, **20** 10,

at 9:31 **o'clock** A **M.**

By: M. Susan Lovelyn