CONGRATULATING THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN WOMEN’S HOCKEY TEAM

Mr. BINGAMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of S. Res. 168, which was submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 168) congratulating the University of Wisconsin women’s hockey team for winning the 2007 NCAA Division I Women’s Ice Hockey Championship.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. FEINGOLD. Mr. President, today, as a proud alumnus, I congratulate the University of Wisconsin for another fantastic season. This year, the University of Wisconsin women’s hockey team defended its National Collegiate Athletic Association Championship, earning its second straight title.

The hard work of the Badger women’s hockey team culminated in a 4–1 victory over the University of Minnesota-Duluth in the NCAA championship game March 18, 2007, in Lake Placid, NY. The Badgers finished their season on a 26-game unbeaten streak and totaled an outstanding final record of 36–1–4.

I commend and congratulate Coach Mark Johnson, a member of the championship Badger hockey team of 1977. The Badgers won the title at Lake Placid, the site of the 1980 “Miracle on Ice” U.S. Olympic hockey team, of which Johnson was a member.

The continuing success of University of Wisconsin athletics has made the people of Wisconsin, and alumni throughout the country, proud to be Badgers. The success of this superb team helps remind sports fans in Wisconsin and across the country of UW-Madison’s place as a dominant force in Big Ten and national athletics.

Mr. BINGAMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements relating thereto be printed in the RECORD, without intervening action or debate.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The resolution (S. Res. 168) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. Res. 168

WHEREAS Sara Bauer was named to the RBK/American Hockey Coaches Association All-American First Team, and was a finalist for the Patty Kazmaier Memorial Award for national player of the year, the United States College Hockey Online’s (USCHO) Player of the Year, and the WCHA First Team, and was named USCHO First Team, and the All-WCHA Second Team, and was named USCHO Defensive Player of the Year;

WHEREAS Megan Duggan was named to the All-USCHO Rookie Team and named USCHO Rookie of the Year, Christine Dufour was named to the All-WCHA Third Team and was USCHO Goaltending Champion, and Erika Lawler was named to the All-WCHA Third Team;

WHEREAS Coach Mark Johnson, who won an NCAA championship as member of the University of Wisconsin men’s hockey team in 1977, was a member of the gold-medal winning 1980 United States Olympic hockey team, and is one of the few people who have won a national championship as both a player and coach, was named the WCHA Coach of the Year;

WHEREAS the Badgers are the first University of Wisconsin cross country team to win the title in both 1984 and 1985;

WHEREAS the Badgers ended the season on a 26-game undefeated streak, finishing with a record of 36–1–4, while outscoring opponents 186–36, and tying No. 5 ranked Minnesota for the $200,000 single-season record; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

1. (1) congratulates the University of Wisconsin women’s hockey team, the coaching staff, including Head Coach Mark Johnson and Assistant Coaches Tracey Cornell and Daniel Kolcio, Program Assistant Sharon Eley, Director of Women’s Hockey Operations Paul Hickman, Athletic Trainer Jennifer Pepoy, Volunteer Coach Jeff Sanger, and Athletic Trainer Sweets Hill; and (2) respectfully requests the Secretary of the Senate to transmit an enrolled copy of this resolution to the Chancellor of the University of Wisconsin-Madison;

2. Recognizing the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure;

WHEREAS Susan G. Komen for the Cure has invested nearly $1,000,000,000 to fulfill its promise, becoming the largest source of nonprofit funds in the world dedicated to curing breast cancer;

WHEREAS, Susan G. Komen for the Cure has invested approximately $1,000,000,000 over the next decade in breast health care and treatment and in research to discover the causes of breast cancer and ultimately, its cure;

WHEREAS, Susan G. Komen for the Cure serves the breast health and treatment needs of millions, especially underserved women, through education and support to thousands of community health organizations, with grants to date of more than $400,000,000;

WHEREAS, Susan G. Komen for the Cure has grown to become the world’s largest grassroots network of breast cancer survivors and activists fighting to save lives, empower people, ensure quality care for all, and energize science to find the cure;

WHEREAS, Susan G. Komen for the Cure has invested nearly $1,000,000,000,000 each year to breast cancer research and education, and through its Promise, has invested nearly $1,000,000,000 to fulfill its promise, becoming the largest source of nonprofit funds in the world dedicated to curing breast cancer;

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Mr. BINGAMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand adjourned until 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 25; that on Wednesday, the time the prayer and the pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed to have expired, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day; that there then be a period of morning business for 60 minutes, with Senators permitted to use later in the day; that there then be a period of 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes, with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes with Senators permitted to speak therein, with the first 30 minutes...