

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
CONCURRENT
2 RESOLUTION NO. 1032

By: Morgan of the House

3 and

4 Coates of the Senate

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7 A Resolution congratulating Miss Betty Thompson upon
her selection as Miss Oklahoma 2011, as America's
8 Choice semifinalist, winner of the talent competition
and as first runner-up in the Miss America 2012
9 pageant; and directing distribution.

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12 WHEREAS, the Miss America Organization is one of the nation's
13 leading achievement programs and the world's largest provider of
14 scholarship assistance for voting women. The Miss America program
15 exists to provide personal and professional opportunities for young
16 women and to promote their voices in culture, politics and the
17 community. The program provides a forum for today's young women to
18 express their viewpoints, talents and accomplishments to audiences
19 during the telecast and to the public at large during the ensuing
20 year; and

21 WHEREAS, Betty Thompson, was selected Miss Oklahoma 2011. At
22 the Miss America 2012 pageant, Betty was chosen America's Choice
23 semifinalist, winner of the talent competition and first runner-up;
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1 WHEREAS, while holding the title of Miss Oklahoma 2011, Miss
2 Thompson is a senior Elementary Education major at Oklahoma State
3 University. She was on the 2010 Oklahoma State University
4 President's Honor Roll and the 2011 Dean's Honor Roll; and

5 WHEREAS, Miss Thompson is a member of the Dairy Farmers
6 Spokesperson Network, a Dairy Max Classroom Educator and dances with
7 McTeggart Irish Dancers; and

8 WHEREAS, Miss Thompson has represented the USA at the World
9 Irish Dance Championships for four years, and was the first
10 Oklahoman to medal at the All-Ireland Irish Dance Championships; and

11 WHEREAS, Miss Thompson graduated Valedictorian from Davenport
12 High School in 2007. While in high school, she was active in 4-H,
13 FFA, Student Council, Pep Club, McTeggart Irish Dancers, Oak Grove
14 Youth Ministries and FCA. Betty served as class president all four
15 years of high school as well as Northeast District 4-H president her
16 senior year.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
18 OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 53RD OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE
19 CONCURRING THEREIN:

20 THAT the Oklahoma State Legislature congratulates Miss Betty
21 Thompson upon her selection as Miss Oklahoma 2011, America's Choice
22 semifinalist, winner of the talent competition and first runner-up
23 in the Miss America 2012 pageant.

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