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## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 311

## By Representative Evans

and

## Senator Roberts

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Douglas James Bruce, 2011 Salutatorian of Jo Byrns High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Douglas James Bruce is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2011 graduating class at Jo Byrns High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Douglas has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Bruce has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Douglas's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bruce's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Douglas Bruce's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Jo Byrns High School Salutatorian, Douglas James Bruce, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.
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ADOPTED: $\qquad$ MAY 2, 2011


APPROVED this $13 / 4$


BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR

