



State of Tennessee

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 300

By Senator Barnes

and

Representative Curtis Johnson

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Patrick Paul Grady, 2011 Valedictorian of Clarksville 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, Patrick Paul Grady is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2011 graduating class at Clarksville High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Grady 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, Patrick Grady has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Interact, Wrestling and Tennis, and as an Altar Server at his church; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Grady's estimable leadership skills have enabled him to serve his fellow students as a member of the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his singular achievements in academics, Patrick Grady has received numerous honors, including membership in the National Honor Society and selection as a Boys' State delegate, as well as his receipt of the Excel Award and Achievement in Academic Excellence; and

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

WHEREAS, Patrick's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Joe and Joanna Grady; his school; and his community; and


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

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Clarksville High School Valedictorian, Patrick Paul Grady, 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: May 5, 2011



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 16th day of May 2011



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR