

State of Tennessee

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 679

By Senator Beavers

and

Representative Weaver

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jacob Bilbrey, 2012 Valedictorian of Macon County 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, Jacob Bilbrey is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at Macon County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Jacob Bilbrey 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. Bilbrey has earned an exemplary grade point average while also participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including Beta Club, FBLA, and LEO Club; and

WHEREAS, Jacob's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as he continues his education at Tennessee Technological University; and

WHEREAS, Jacob Bilbrey's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Terry Bilbrey and Leanne Bilbrey; his school; and his community; and

WHEREAS, Jacob Bilbrey'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 2012 Macon County High School Valedictorian, Jacob Bilbrey, 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: March 26, 2012

RI RON RAMSEY SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

Beth Harvell

BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this <u>and</u> day of <u>April</u> 2012

BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR