HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1037

By Representative Carter

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Herman Howard Odens, 2014 Valedictorian of Ooltewah 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, Herman Howard Odens is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2014 graduating class at Ooltewah High School; and

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

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

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

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

WHEREAS, Herman Odens'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 EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2014 Ooltewah High School Valedictorian, Herman Howard Odens, 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: ___April 15, 2014___

BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this ___5th___ day of ___May___ 2014

BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR