



## State of Tennessee

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 859

#### By Representative Hicks

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Parth Harshadkumar Patel, 2016 Top 25 Senior, Cherokee High School.

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

WHEREAS, Parth Harshadkumar Patel is one such exceptional student, who was recently named a Top 25 Senior of the 2016 graduating class of Cherokee High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Patel 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. Patel earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous school clubs and extracurricular activities, including Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, and HOSA: Future Health Professionals; and

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

WHEREAS, Mr. Patel's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Harshad Patel and Pushpa Patel, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Parth Patel's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Parth Harshadkumar Patel of Cherokee High School on being named a 2016 Top 25 Senior, salute his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

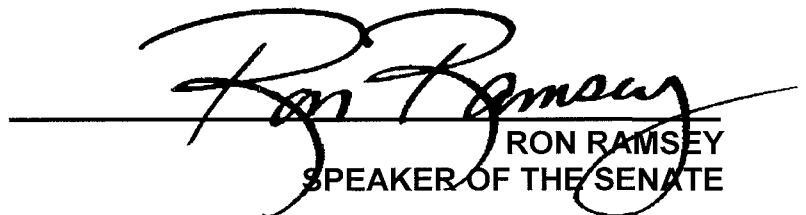
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: April 14, 2016



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 2016



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR