

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 358

By Senator Hensley

and

Representative Byrd

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Karilynn Samuelson, Fifth Top Graduate of the 2015 graduating class at Lewis 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, Karilynn Samuelson is one such exceptional student, who is the Fifth Top Graduate of the 2015 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Karilynn maintained an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including serving as senior treasurer, secretary of the Math Club, and cadet squadron commander for the 189th Tennessee Civil Air Patrol Squadron. She was also a member of the drill team, which captured the 2013 National Championship; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Samuelson's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

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

WHEREAS, her 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 NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2015 Lewis County High School Fifth Top Graduate, Karilynn Samuelson, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her 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.

BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR