

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 504

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize William Brandt Sisson,
2009 Valedictorian of South Fulton 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, William Brandt Sisson is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at South Fulton High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Brandt Sisson 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. Sisson has earned an exemplary grade point average as an Honor Student and will graduate as a Tennessee Scholar, having been previously named a Tennessee Scholar of the Month; and

WHEREAS, an active participant in numerous school clubs and organizations, he is a member of the Beta Club, Spanish Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Annual Staff, Newspaper Staff, Pep Club and the football team; and

WHEREAS, a recognized leader among his peers, Brandt has served as a class officer for four years and participated in Leadership Obion County, Twin Cities Youth Leadership, Chamber Youth Staff, and the Obion County Challenge program; and

WHEREAS, he is a faithful member of South Fulton Baptist Church, which he has served in numerous capacities including mission work; and

WHEREAS, Brandt's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as he pursues his goal of becoming a surgeon, with plans to attend the University of Tennessee at Martin and later Vanderbilt University Medical School; and

WHEREAS, Brandt Sisson's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Mike and Tammy Sisson, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, William Brandt Sisson'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 SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 South Fulton High School Valedictorian, William Brandt Sisson, 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.