

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1311

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A RESOLUTION to recognize and commend the employees of the Capitol Print Shop.

WHEREAS, it is especially fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause in our deliberations to recognize and commend our employees, who work with purpose and conviction to meet our needs and our deadlines; and

WHEREAS, these individuals exhibit the highest levels of professionalism, determination, and dedication each and every day, often laboring long hours under trying conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Capitol Print Shop was established in the late 1960s to provide "print services and support" to the General Assembly and the Constitutional Officers; and

WHEREAS, specifically, the Capitol Print Shop provides copies of filed legislation, audit reports, budget and financial reports, Public Acts and Private Acts, and the House and Senate Journals; and

WHEREAS, the Capitol Print Shop also provides collating, binding, folding, and stitching services, in addition to processing out-going mail for the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, the present outstanding employees of the Capitol Print Shop are: Print Services Manager Larry Jones, who is retiring with 37 ½ years of service; Barbara Armstrong, who is retiring with 31 ½ years of service; Tom Deal who is retiring with 29 ½ years of service; Jeanette Brown; Kenneth Lamb; Linda Lawrence; Arnett Glenn Montague II; Elise Taylor; and James Thomas; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 2010, the Capitol Print Shop will cease operations due to budget constraints and changes in technology and printing needs, thus bringing to a close an

era during which the aforementioned and past employees served this Body with the greatest ability and alacrity; and

WHEREAS, the exemplary assistance provided by each of these Capitol Hill Print Shop employees has been essential to the efficient and orderly operation of this Body, and it is fitting that we pause to express our deep appreciation for their professional and dedicated services; 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 recognize and commend the employees of the Capitol Print Shop for their faithful and astute service to the General Assembly and the Constitutional Officers for more than forty years, and extend to these good people our best wishes for continued success and happiness in their future endeavors.

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