

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 349

By McNally

A RESOLUTION to commend Colleen Daniels for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session the members of this General Assembly are pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Colleen Daniels is one such individual, who distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Randy McNally; Colleen's work resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, Colleen, the daughter of David and Sandra-Kay Daniels, grew up on a Tennessee Walking Horse breeding farm with her siblings, Morgan and Jonathan Daniels; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Colleen has achieved academic success while majoring in economics with minors in business and political science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Alpha Chi Omega, which she has served in a variety of leadership roles, the Economics Club, and Leadership Living Learning Community; and

WHEREAS, a high academic achiever, Colleen is a recipient of both the HOPE Scholarship and the Volunteer Scholarship, and has been selected to study abroad in Rome in the summer of 2015; and

WHEREAS, Colleen successfully interacted with all leadership groups who visited Nashville from Senator McNally's district; in addition to arranging schedules and coordinating with these groups prior to their arrival, she stayed with the groups throughout their visits and made certificates and gift bags for each participant; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further her studies, Colleen Daniels brought her many

abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2015 session of the One Hundred Ninth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2015 legislative session, Colleen surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; she became known for bringing delicious homemade baked goods to the chairman and staff of the Senate Finance, Ways and Means Committee; and

WHEREAS, Colleen performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; 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 Colleen Daniels for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Randy McNally and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

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