

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 660

By Dickerson

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Tabitha Robinson, 2020 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Tabitha Robinson, who was recently recognized as a member of the 2020 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30, presented by the Tennessee chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation; and

WHEREAS, each year, the Tennessee chapter selects thirty individuals for Nashville's Top 30 Under 30, which recognizes business professionals throughout Middle Tennessee for their leadership qualities, volunteerism, and business endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Robinson is currently a Staff Attorney for Nashville Electric Service, where she had previously completed two clerkships; she also completed clerkships at Hagar & Phillips PLLC, the Tennessee Valley Authority, and the Office of the Tennessee Attorney General in addition to working as a student attorney in the Tennessee College of Law Advocacy Clinic; and

WHEREAS, Tabitha Robinson graduated *summa cum laude* from Clemson University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science before obtaining a Juris Doctor from the University of Tennessee College of Law, where she was named 2017 UT Graduate Student of the Year, was given the National Association of Women Lawyers' Outstanding Student Award and the CALI Award for Poverty, Race, and Gender Law, and served as editor-in-chief for the *Tennessee Journal of Race, Gender, & Social Justice* and as publications editor for *Tennessee Law Review*; and

WHEREAS, deeply committed to the Nashville community, Ms. Robinson is a saxophonist with the Nashville Community Concert Band, serves on the Board of Directors for the Women's Political Collaborative and as the legal risk chair elect for the Junior League of Nashville, and is involved with Young Leaders Council Nashville Class 73 and TN Achieves; and

WHEREAS, for the Nashville Bar Association, she has served as chair of the High School Internship Program, co-chair of the Sister Cities Committee, and member of the Diversity Committee; she also serves on the Board of Directors for the Lawyers' Association for Women, for which she also acts as newsletter editor and social media chair; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the individuals of the 2020 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30 for their dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and commend Tabitha Robinson on being named a member of the 2020 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30 by the Tennessee chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.