

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 698

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Rhedona Rose to the board of trustees of Tennessee Technological University.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-101, provides for the governance of Tennessee Technological University by a board of trustees; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that the governor shall appoint eight (8) members to the board of trustees of Tennessee Technological University; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Rhedona Rose of Columbia to the board of trustees of Tennessee Technological University for a term that will expire June 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Rose serves as the chief administrative officer and executive vice president for the Tennessee Farm Bureau Federation; and

WHEREAS, she holds the distinction of being the first female executive to lead the organization, which is the largest farm bureau in the United States; and

WHEREAS, an alumna of Tennessee Tech, Ms. Rose earned a bachelor's degree from the university in agricultural science and holds a master's degree from Texas A&M University in agricultural development; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Rose is a person of integrity who brings a strong commitment to the citizens of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the board of trustees of Tennessee Technological University shall be confirmed by the general assembly; 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 this body confirms the appointment of Rhedona Rose to the board of trustees of Tennessee Technological University for a term that will expire June 30, 2025.