

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1051

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jay Marks, 2020 Top Ten Senior, Hampshire Unit 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, Jay Marks is one such exceptional student who was recently named a Top Ten Senior of the 2020 graduating class at Hampshire Unit School, ranking eighth in his class; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Marks has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Jay Marks has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including HOSA, which he served as an officer, FCA, FFA, Beta Club, Interact Club, and Key Club; he was a member of his school's basketball and cross country teams; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Marks's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at Columbia State Community College; and

WHEREAS, Jay Marks's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Tracy and Tonya Marks, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Marks's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this 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 we hereby commend and honor Jay Marks of Hampshire Unit School on being named a 2020 Top Ten Senior, salute 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.