HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 314

By Hicks

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Samantha Paige Riley, 2017 Top Ten, Hancock County High 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, Samantha Paige Riley is one such exceptional student who was recently named a Top Ten student of the 2017 graduating class at Hancock County High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Riley earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Walters State Community College and East Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Riley's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Fain "Bo" and Jonny Riley, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Samantha Riley's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED
TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE
CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Samantha Paige Riley of Hancock County

High School on being named a 2017 Top Ten student, salute her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her 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.