

HOUSE RESOLUTION 84

By Thompson

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Stephen David Morris, Jr., 2019 Salutatorian of Evangelical Christian 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, Stephen David Morris, Jr., is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2019 graduating class at Evangelical Christian School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Morris 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, Stephen Morris has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Mu Alpha Theta, Rho Kappa Honor Society, Model United Nations, Youth in Government, mock trial, the varsity lacrosse team, and the varsity cross country team; he currently serves as secretary of the National Honor Society, senior class treasurer, president of Key Club, president of Best Buddies, vice president of the Evangelical Christian School Chapter of the Wilson Society, president of SLI, and vice president of the Government Club, and is an AP Scholar; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Morris's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at Auburn University; and

WHEREAS, his noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Kim and David Morris, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Stephen Morris'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 ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2019 Evangelical Christian School Salutatorian, Stephen David Morris, Jr., on 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.