

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 47

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to honor Trooper Eric Pincince on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, our nation was conceived by individuals who were willing to sacrifice their personal concerns to ensure the public's safety and welfare, and the Volunteer State is especially proud to be the home of so many valiant individuals; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Trooper Eric Pincince of the Tennessee Highway Patrol, who has rendered sterling service to the people of the State of Tennessee for thirty years and will be taking his much-deserved retirement; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of Sam Houston State University, Trooper Pincince has earned several accolades for his detailed crash investigations and consistent, concerted DUI enforcement, and he has been recognized by Mothers Against Drunk Driving for his tireless efforts spent in battling impaired driving; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Pincince, working closely with the United States Marshals, has been indispensable in the fight for a safe and just society, and during his tenure, he has helped to capture dangerous fugitives and arrest a domestic terrorist; and

WHEREAS, he has spent the last season of his career span protecting the State Capitol, a task he has performed dutifully and honorably since 2016; and

WHEREAS, outside of protecting and serving his fellow citizens, Trooper Pincince commits his time to fostering his family life with his beloved wife and two children; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Pincince epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean, and his professionalism and dedication to serving his community are evident to all who know him; and

WHEREAS, we find it appropriate to recognize and applaud Trooper Eric Pincince for his dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and commend Trooper Eric Pincince on the occasion of his retirement, thank him for his meritorious service, and extend to him 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.