

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 97

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Todd Skelton to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, established advisory boards for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; University of Tennessee at Martin; University of Tennessee at Chattanooga; and University of Tennessee Health Science Center; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, provides that the governor shall appoint five members to each advisory board; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Todd Skelton to serve as a member of the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, for a term that expires on June 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Skelton is the general counsel of HF Capital, the family office for the Haslam family, where he is responsible for legal matters related to investments; he previously served as deputy counsel to Governor Bill Haslam, a member of the governor's senior staff, and primary drafter of the bill that created the University of Tennessee advisory board system; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, shall be confirmed by the General Assembly; 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 hereby confirm the appointment of Todd Skelton

to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, for a term that expires on June 30, 2025.