SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 210

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize John Michael Cook, 2011 Valedictorian of Wilson Central 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, John Michael Cook is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2011 graduating class at Wilson Central High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, John has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in several worthwhile extracurricular activities, including Student Government, Beta Club, National Honors Society, and Choir; and

WHEREAS, strongly committed to community and public service, he endeavored to serve his fellow citizens by completing a mission trip to New Orleans in 2010; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Cook's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, John Michael Cook's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Tony and Kelli Cook, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, John's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Wilson Central High School Valedictorian, John Michael Cook, 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.