

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 725

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Bethaney Delaine Bass upon her top ten ranking in the 2014 graduating class of Lewis 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, Bethaney Delaine Bass is one such exceptional student who is in the top ten of the 2014 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Bass 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, Bethaney Bass earned an exemplary grade point average, the fourth-highest in her class; and

WHEREAS, a leader among her peers, Bethaney serves as the president of the 2014 Senior Class, president of Beta Club, president of Math Club, president of Science Club, and president of Spanish Club, in addition to being a delegate to Girls State; and

WHEREAS, selected as "Miss LCHS" for 2014, Bethaney Bass is a member of the Lady Panthers Softball team and was named to the Middle Tennessee All-Athletic and Academic Team; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bass's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at the University of Tennessee at Martin, where she plans to pursue a degree in Nursing; and

WHEREAS, Bethaney's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Scottie and Rhonda Bass, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Bethaney Bass'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 EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2014 Lewis County High School top ten student, Bethaney Bass, on her impressive academic achievement, applauding her for her fourth-place ranking and extending 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.