SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 804

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Lauren Nicole Thomas, 2016 Seventh Top Graduate, 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, Lauren Nicole Thomas is one such exceptional student, who was recently named the Seventh Top Graduate of the 2016 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Lauren Thomas 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, Ms. Thomas earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Beta Club and Volunteer Girls State; and

WHEREAS, Lauren Thomas's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Columbia State Community College; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Thomas's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, David and Robin Thomas, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Lauren Nicole Thomas'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 SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Lauren Nicole Thomas of Lewis County

High School on being named the 2016 Seventh Top Graduate, salute her impressive academic

achievement, and extend 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.