

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 829

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Dr. Michael Ugwueke to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee Health Science Center.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, established an advisory board for the University of Tennessee Health Science Center; and

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

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Dr. Michael Ugwueke to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee Health Science Center for a term that expires on June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Michael Ugwueke is the president and CEO of Methodist Le Bonheur Healthcare, a six-hospital, integrated system in Memphis, and lends his time and talents as a board member of the Memphis Medical District Collaborative, the Tennessee Business Leadership Council, the National Civil Rights Museum, and the St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ugwueke earned a doctorate in health administration and leadership from the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston, South Carolina; a master's degree in public health from Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia; and a bachelor's degree from Shaw University in Raleigh, North Carolina; 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 Health Science Center shall be confirmed by the General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby confirm the appointment of Dr. Michael
Ugwueke to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee Health Science Center for a
term that expires on June 30, 2026.