

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 114

By Lamberth

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Marvin Ellison to the state university board of the University of Memphis.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-101, provides for the governance of the University of Memphis by a state university board; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that the governor shall appoint eight (8) members to the state university board of the University of Memphis; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, further provides that at least three (3) of the gubernatorial appointees shall be alumni of the institution for which they are serving and that at least six (6) of the nine (9) voting members of the state university board shall be residents of the state of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Marvin Ellison to the state university board of the University of Memphis for a term that will expire on June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, a highly successful businessman, Mr. Ellison is the president and chief executive officer of Lowe's Companies, Inc.; he holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Memphis and a Master of Business Administration degree from Emory University; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the state university board of the University of Memphis shall be subject to confirmation by the senate and the house of representatives; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we hereby confirm the appointment of Marvin Ellison to the state university board of the University of Memphis for a term that will expire on June 30, 2026.