

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 673

By Howell

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Bennett George of Walker Valley High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should recognize those incredibly successful high school athletes who have attained significant milestones in their careers; and

WHEREAS, one such young athlete is Bennett George, who recently placed among the top three competitors in the Junior Division for slalom whitewater kayaking at the USA Team Trials in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, Mr. George is a dedicated kayaker, and with profound command of the paddle, he will represent the United States and compete in the World Championship in Poland this year; and

WHEREAS, a junior at Walker Valley High School (WVHS), Bennett George is president of the WVHS Climbing Club and a member of the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Circle of Champions, and Chamber Choir; and

WHEREAS, Mr. George has claimed his rightful place among the most elite high school athletes, and he is richly deserving of our approbation on this special occasion; and

WHEREAS, Bennett George epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Bennett George upon his remarkable success as a high school athlete and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.