

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 754

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Chenran Liu upon winning the Siemens Award for Advanced Placement.

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 both in the classroom and on a national scale; and

WHEREAS, Chenran Liu is one such exceptional student who recently received the Siemens Award for Advanced Placement; and

WHEREAS, designed to encourage students to engage in high-quality, rigorous education in the fields of science and mathematics, this prestigious honor is bestowed upon the male and female student earning the highest score on the following Advanced Placement Exams: Biology, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science AB, Environmental Science, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, and Statistics; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Chenran Liu has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable career at Farragut High School, Miss Liu has earned an exemplary grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including rendering sterling service as the President of Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA), Vice-President of the Model United Nations, and member of the World Language Academy, Science Academy, Math Academy, French Honors Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and Science Club; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Chenran Liu earned third place in the State Science Bowl and holds membership in the National Honor Society and National Junior Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, strongly committed to community and public service, Miss Liu has endeavored to serve her fellow citizens by volunteering at the Children's Hospital, NHC Nursing Home, Mercy West Hospital, and Park West Hospital; tutoring English Language Learners (ELL), and co-founding Hand-in-Hand, a camp which helps children improve cultural awareness; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she aspires to major in chemical engineering or biochemistry and become either a patent agent/lawyer or pharmacist; and

WHEREAS, Miss Liu's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Chenran Liu's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Chenran Liu upon winning the Siemens Award for Advanced Placement 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.