

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1141

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Paxson Spears upon his top ten ranking in the 2010 graduating class at 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, Paxson Spears is one such exceptional student who recently ranked in the top ten of the 2010 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Paxson has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in several scholastic and extracurricular activities, including Beta Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, 4H, FFA, Boys' State, and Math Club; and

WHEREAS, a talented and gifted athlete, Mr. Spears displayed his athletic prowess as captain of the football team; and

WHEREAS, active in his community, he has been recognized as a 4H All-Star for his tireless efforts and invaluable volunteer work; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Spears's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Paxson's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his father, Marty Spears, his mother, Debbie Spears, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, his 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 SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that Paxson Spears, 2010 Lewis County High School Top Ten graduate, who ranked sixth in his class, be commended and honored on his impressive academic achievement. We extend to him 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.