

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1142

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Mallory Alise Odom upon her 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, Mallory Alise Odom 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, Ms. Odom 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 high school career, Mallory has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in several scholastic and extracurricular activities, including Beta Club, Anchor, Math Club, Science Club, 4H, and Yearbook Staff as editor; she also served as secretary of the senior class and treasurer of her freshman class; and

WHEREAS, a gifted performer, Ms. Odom displayed her many talents as a majorette for Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Odom's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Mallory Odom's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her father, Donald Johns, her mother, Jennifer Johns, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her 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 Mallory Alise Odom, 2010 Lewis County High School Top Ten graduate, who ranked fifth in her class, be commended and honored on her impressive academic achievement. We 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.