

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1216

By Keisling

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Braelyn Keeton, 2022
Salutatorian of Scott County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we 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, Braelyn Keeton is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2022 graduating class at Scott County High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Braelyn Keeton has earned an exemplary 4.125 grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities; she is a two-year member of the Beta Club, a one-year member of HOSA, and a four-year member of the honors program; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Keeton is a leader in her community; she has been recognized as a part of the National Society of High School Scholars and has volunteered at the courthouse, an attorney's office, and a daycare; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her academic excellence, Ms. Keeton is a member of Robbins First Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy accomplishment is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Brad and Nikki Keeton, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Braelyn Keeton's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Roane State Community College and Lincoln

Memorial University, where she plans to pursue a course of study to become a registered nurse with a specialization in labor and delivery; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Keeton's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; 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 commend and honor the 2022 Scott County High School Salutatorian, Braelyn Keeton, on her impressive academic achievement 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.