

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 491

By Jackson

A RESOLUTION to recognize and honor graphic artist Chelsea Jackson.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly recognize those accomplished Tennesseans who excel in their creative endeavors, thereby enriching the lives of their fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable individual is Chelsea Jackson, a Tennessee graphic artist whose design was chosen to grace the General Assembly lapel pin; and

WHEREAS, born Shi Jia Sui Zi in Xi'an, Shanxi, China, Chelsea and her family moved to Shenzhen, China, when she was two years old and ultimately made their home in Hong Kong in 1995; and

WHEREAS, Chelsea Jackson graduated from Guangdong ATV Professional Academy for the Performing Arts in 2004, and in 2007, she graduated from Shenzhen Qiancheng Yuan Wang Graphic Design Center, thereafter working for the Wall Street Institute in Shenzhen as a customer service supervisor; and

WHEREAS, it was while working in the customer service department of the Wall Street Institute that she met Ed Jackson III; the two were married on November 11, 2011, and the following year, they started Shenzhen Jackson Technology Company, an educational training company; and

WHEREAS, the Jacksons welcomed their beloved chocolate lab, Muddy, to the family in January 2013, and in 2014, their first son, Stone, was born in Hong Kong; when Chelsea later found out she was expecting their second son, the Jacksons relocated to Jackson, Tennessee, Ed's hometown and where Edward Jackson IV was born in the same hospital as his father; and

WHEREAS, Chelsea Jackson currently works as a graphic designer for Railroad Backdrops, Inc., in Humboldt; she enjoys going to her children's sporting events and music recitals and traveling with her family, as well as spending time with friends, cooking traditional Chinese food, and playing Mahjong; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Jackson is a supremely gifted artist who has put her talents to use in numerous capacities, and her contribution to the General Assembly is most worthy of our approbation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we recognize and honor Chelsea Jackson for her beautiful design of the General Assembly lapel pin, extending our gratitude and our best wishes for her continued success.

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.