SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 608

By Green

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jonathan Michael Bunton, 2014 Salutatorian of Northeast 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, Jonathan Michael Bunton is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2014 graduating class at Northeast High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Jonathan 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, Mr. Bunton has earned an exemplary grade point average of 4.0 while graciously dedicating his time and energies to the Northeast High School theatre, the yearbook as co-editor-in-chief, and the National Forensics League, where he regularly places in the top six in tournaments; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan Bunton is a talented musician who performs in show choir and plays the guitar, banjo, and ukulele; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bunton attended the Governor's School for Computational Physics in the summer of 2013; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bunton scored a perfect five on the Advanced Placement calculus test and an impressive thirty-four on the ACT, and his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, his noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

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

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2014 Northeast High School Salutatorian, Jonathan Michael Bunton, on his impressive academic achievement and 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.