## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 701

## By Reeves

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Samuel Smith, 2021 Valedictorian of Oakland 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, Samuel Smith is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2021 graduating class at Oakland High School; and

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

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Smith has earned an exemplary grade point average and participated in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Smith's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Smith's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Samuel Smith'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 SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2021 Oakland High School

Valedictorian, Samuel Smith, 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 and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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