

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 991

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A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of David A. Golden to the Registry of Election Finance.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-203, provides for the creation of the Registry of Election Finance; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-203(c)(1), provides that the governor shall appoint two members to the Registry of Election Finance, one member who shall represent the majority party and one member who shall represent the minority party; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed David A. Golden of Kingsport as a member to the Registry of Election Finance representing the majority party; he will serve on the Registry of Election Finance for a term that will expire on December 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, David A. Golden recently retired after serving with acumen and alacrity as Senior Vice President, Chief Legal and Sustainability Officer, and Corporate Secretary of Eastman Chemical Company, which is headquartered in Kingsport; and

WHEREAS, an alumnus of the Harvard Business School, Mr. Golden holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting and a Juris Doctorate from Brigham Young University and served with the international law firm of Hunton and Williams prior to joining Eastman in 1995; and

WHEREAS, David Golden has rendered sterling service as a member of the advisory board of Western Governor's University Tennessee and the University of Tennessee's Howard H. Baker Center for Public Policy and as a member of the Governor's Council for Judicial Appointments and the Tennessee Business Court Rules Commission; and

WHEREAS, David Golden is a person of integrity and an active citizen whose benevolence, acumen, and strong commitment to public service have helped to enhance the well-being of this State and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-10-203(a)(2), provides that gubernatorial appointees shall be subject to confirmation by joint resolution of the 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 this body confirms the appointment of David A. Golden to the Registry of Election Finance for a term that will expire on December 31, 2026.