

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1278

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Norah Ray, S.T.E.M. Student of the Month of Unicoi County 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, Norah Ray is one such exceptional student, who was recently named the S.T.E.M. "Student of the Month" at Unicoi County High School; and

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

WHEREAS, a well-rounded student, Ms. Ray participates in a number of clubs, sports, and organizations; she serves as vice president of HOSA, treasurer of the student council, a member of the tennis team, Beta Club, Scholar's Bowl, and the Unicoi County High School Mock Trial as a state competitor, and a student mentor; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at the University of Tennessee, where she plans to study medicine to become an anesthesiologist; and

WHEREAS, Norah Ray's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Norah Ray'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 THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Norah Ray upon being named the Unicoi County High School S.T.E.M. Student of the Month, salute 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.