

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1317

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to commend Jessica A. Collie for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session, this General Assembly is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Jessica A. Collie is one such individual who distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Jack Johnson; Ms. Collie's work resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a May 2020 graduate of Lipscomb University, Jessica Collie achieved academic success while majoring in political science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, in the fall of 2018, Ms. Collie served as a field organizer for the Marsha Blackburn for Senate campaign, during which time she trained interns and volunteers, responded to constituent inquiries, and canvassed neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further her studies, Ms. Collie brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2020 session of the One Hundred Eleventh General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2020 legislative session, Jessica Collie surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Collie performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Jessica A. Collie for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Jack Johnson and extend to her our best wishes for every future 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.