HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 691

By Lamberth

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Charles E. Allen, Jr., of Johnson City to the state university board of East Tennessee State University.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-101, provides for the governance of East Tennessee State University by a state university board; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that the governor shall appoint eight members to the state university board of East Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, further provides that at least three of the gubernatorial appointees shall be alumni of the institution for which they are serving and that at least six of the nine voting members of the state university board shall be residents of the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Charles E. Allen, Jr., to the state university board of East Tennessee State University for a term that will expire on June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, a highly successful entrepreneur, Charles Allen is the president of Charles E. Allen Co., Inc., and Stowaway Self Storage; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Allen graduated from East Tennessee State University with a bachelor's degree in accounting, and he holds the chartered financial analyst designation and is a certified public accountant; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-8-201, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the state university board of East Tennessee State University shall be subject to confirmation by the senate and the house of representatives; now, therefore, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby confirm the appointment of Charles E. Allen, Jr., to the state university board of East Tennessee State University for a term that will expire on June 30, 2026.