

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 764

By Lamberth

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Darrell Cobbins of Memphis to the State Board of Education.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-301, provides for the creation of the State Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-301(a)(3)(iii), provides that the governor shall appoint three members to the State Board of Education representing the 1st, 5th, and 9th congressional districts; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Darrell Cobbins of Memphis to the State Board of Education for a term that will expire on March 31, 2028, as a member representing the 9th Congressional District; and

WHEREAS, a highly respected member of his community, Darrell Cobbins is president of Universal Commercial Real Estate, LLC, a commercial real estate firm he founded in 2007, having previously served as the Senior Resource Development Officer for the Greater Memphis Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Cobbins holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Rhodes College and a Master of Business Administration degree from the Fogelman College of Business at the University of Memphis; and

WHEREAS, Darrell Cobbins 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 49-1-301, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the State Board of Education shall be confirmed by joint resolution of the General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that this body does hereby confirm the appointment of Darrell Cobbins to the State Board of Education for a term that will expire on March 31, 2028.