

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 290**

**By Senators Kyle, Watson, Berke**

**and**

**Representative Floyd**

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Judge William L. Brown to the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201, provides for the creation of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201, further provides that the governor shall appoint nine members to that commission; and

WHEREAS, Governor Phil Bredesen recently appointed Judge William L. Brown of Chattanooga, Tennessee, to serve on the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission; and

WHEREAS, Judge Brown will represent District 4 in East Tennessee during a term that will expire on February 28, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Judge Brown earned a law degree from the Cumberland School of Law at Samford University and a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Chattanooga; and

WHEREAS, Judge Brown served as a judge on the Tennessee circuit court for the eleventh judicial district from 1988-1997; and

WHEREAS, Judge Brown is a member of the American Bar Association, the Tennessee Bar Association, and the Chattanooga Bar Association; and

WHEREAS, Judge Brown was named one of the "Best Lawyers in America" by Woodward & White, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Judge Brown has contributed to his community by serving on the board of directors of the Chattanooga Birth Defects Center and as trustee of Signal Mountain Presbyterian Church; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201(b)(1), provides that each member appointed to the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission by the governor shall be confirmed by the House Conservation and Environment Committee and the Senate Environment, Conservation and Tourism Committee and by joint resolution of the General Assembly prior to the beginning of his or her term of office; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby confirm the appointment of Judge William L. Brown of Chattanooga, Tennessee, to a six (6) year term on the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission, such term to expire on February 28, 2015.

**ADOPTED: May 18, 2009**



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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



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KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**ADPPROVED: May 27, 2009**



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PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR