

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1702

A RESOLUTION congratulating the 2013 Buick Achievers Scholarship recipients.

WHEREAS, The Buick Achievers Scholarship Program recognizes and supports outstanding high school and current undergraduate students interested in pursuing careers in the automotive and related industries and who will be studying science, technology, engineering, math, design or business; and

WHEREAS, In 2013, the General Motors Foundation awarded approximately \$4.2 million in scholarships to 1,100 exemplary students. Among the 1,100 scholarship recipients, 521 are the first in their families to pursue a secondary education, 45 have served in the United States Armed Forces and 48 come from military families; and

WHEREAS, The Buick Achievers Scholarship Program provides 100 National recipient students with up to \$25,000 renewable for four years, and one additional year for those entering a qualified, five-year engineering program. Additionally, 1,000 Achiever recipient students receive up to \$2,000 for academic expenses; and

WHEREAS, Four Kansas students received the Buick Achievers Scholarship Program National scholarship, and 16 Kansas students received the Achiever scholarship; and

WHEREAS, The four National scholarship recipients from Kansas are: Kelsey Kilburn of Lawrence, attending Newman University; Buddy Lisk of Harveyville, attending Kansas State University; Trina Durham of Kansas City, attending University of Missouri at Kansas City; and Dalton Porter of Clyde, attending Kansas State University: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That we congratulate these students on being awarded the National Buick Achievers Scholarship. These bright young students will be the leaders of tomorrow and we commend them on their dedication to academics; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to provide five enrolled copies of this resolution to Senator Longbine.

Senate Resolution No. 1702 was sponsored by Senators Longbine, Bowers and Donovan.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.