

1           A RESOLUTION adjourning the Senate in honor of 2024-2025 Kentucky  
2           Optometric Association President Dr. Leslie Cecil.

3           WHEREAS, Dr. Leslie Cecil, a native of Somerset, Kentucky, has worked in the  
4           optical field since 1994. After working as a licensed optician, she fulfilled her dream of  
5           becoming an optometrist by completing her undergraduate studies at the University of  
6           Louisville and earning her Doctorate of Optometry from the prestigious University of  
7           Alabama at Birmingham School of Optometry; and

8           WHEREAS, Dr. Leslie Cecil has worked in every aspect of the optical field, from  
9           doctor's technician and optical manager to optometrist. She currently owns and operates  
10          her business, Cecil Family Eyecare, practicing full scope optometry in Bardstown,  
11          Kentucky; and

12          WHEREAS, on Friday, April 19, 2024, Dr. Leslie Cecil was sworn in as the  
13          President of the Kentucky Optometric Association; and

14          WHEREAS, Dr. Leslie Cecil goes above and beyond in her field of study, serving  
15          on the Kentucky Optometric Association Board of Trustees since 2016, participating as a  
16          member of the American Optometric Association, and volunteering with various eye care  
17          organizations; and

18          WHEREAS, Dr. Leslie Cecil resides in Bardstown, Kentucky, with her family and  
19          loves the small-town environment it provides. She believes in giving every patient  
20          individualized care and has a genuine desire to form lasting, trusting relationships with  
21          her patients; and

22          WHEREAS, this body honors Dr. Leslie Cecil on this day for her years of service  
23          as an optometrist and her extraordinary care to her patients and her staff at Cecil Family  
24          Eyecare, grants her best wishes as she continues to improve the lives of her patients and  
25          community, and duly honors her husband, Kevin Cecil, and their sons, Brady and  
26          Connor;

27          NOW, THEREFORE,

1 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of*  
2 *Kentucky:*

3       ➔Section 1. The Senate hereby commends Dr. Leslie Cecil upon being named the  
4 2024-2025 Kentucky Optometric Association President and grants her best wishes as she  
5 continues to provide quality care to her patients in Bardstown.

6       ➔Section 2. When the Senate adjourns this day, it does so in honor of Dr. Leslie  
7 Cecil.

8       ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this  
9 Resolution to Senator Jimmy Higdon for delivery.