### Information Items

**Public Chapter 204**  
(Effective 7/01/2009)

**American history course requirement for higher education.** No person shall be granted a baccalaureate degree of any kind from any institution of higher learning supported or maintained by the state, or from any community college supported or maintained by the state, unless the person has earned credit in American history, consisting of six (6) semester hours or nine (9) quarter hours. Persons who pursue baccalaureate degrees in those areas of study exempted either by regulation of the board of regents or by regulations or delegated authority of the board of trustees of the University of Tennessee, are not required to meet the requirements of this section if they have successfully completed a course in American history in high school.  
(S: Barnes; H: Pitts) **SB 1073/HB 0951**

### Action Items

- **Meeting Called to Order**
- **Greeting and Welcome**
- **Kudos!!!**  
  - Stephanie  
    - Excellent Retreat Minutes
- **Approval of the Minutes**
- **Old Business**  
  - Faculty Evaluations
  - 2009 New Faculty Orientation
  - 2009 Faculty Senate Retreat
  - Fall Faculty Meeting  
    - Approval of Amendments to By-Laws
  - Convocation
- **New Business**  
  - TUFS Position Paper
  - TBR  
    - American History
  - Faculty Evaluations  
    - Hard Copies
  - Honors Building Parking
  - Workload Form: Part B
  - Defining the University  
    - Chuck Higgins
- **Adjournment**