

SGA Bill 1-15-F

A Bill to Amend the SGA Constitution to Create a Permanent Veteran Senate Position

Whereas: There is currently no consistent means of representation for veterans in the Student Government Association Senate.

Whereas: Over 990 current MTSU students are veterans.

Whereas: Veterans are a valued part of the True Blue community.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE 78th CONGRESS OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY THAT:

Section 1: The SGA constitution will be amended to add a section F to Article V. The section will read as follows. “Veterans will have a voice in the form of a permanent elected Senator. The Senator shall be a current or former member of the United States Military.”

Section 2: This bill shall be voted upon by the student body before the end of the 2015 Fall semester via a referendum. A Senator will be appointed to the seat within two week contingent upon the passage of the referendum.

Section 3: This bill will go into effect upon favorable passage.

Sponsor: Brandon Lewis

Co- Sponsor: Alexis Patrykus

Speaker of the Senate

SGA President

VP of Student Affairs

