#### **SGA Bill 2-17-F**

### A Bill to expand the powers of the Attorney General.

Whereas the Attorney General only has the power to work on student parking cases.

Whereas the Attorney General's job should reflect some duties of a typical Attorney General.

Whereas the Attorney General should be an enforcer of the SGA Constitution and Laws.

Whereas the Attorney General should be able to investigate any alleged violations of the SGA Constitution and Laws by SGA members.

# THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE 80th CONGRESS OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY THAT:

Amendment to the Student Government Constitution amending:

Article IV Section 4 Subsection B subsubsection 1 subsubsubsection a to as follows:

a. Policies and Procedures for the Attorney General on traffic citations are as follows:

## Amendment to the Student Government Constitution adding to:

### Article IV Section 4 Subsection B subsubsection 1:

- b. The Attorney General will be the adviser to the Executive Branch and Legislative Branch of the Student Government Association (SGA) on the SGA Constitution and Laws.
- c. The Attorney General will have the power to investigate any alleged violations of the SGA Constitution and Laws by any SGA member by following these guidelines:
  - 1. The Attorney General must have probable cause that an SGA member is violating the SGA Constitution and Laws or a complaint is filed to the Attorney General.
  - 2. The Attorney General must submit a letter requesting to investigate the member to the SGA Advisor.
  - 3. The SGA Advisor must sign the letter granting permission to investigate.
  - 4. During the investigation, the Attorney General will have access to MTSU and/or SGA materials of the individual including documents, testimony, and any other relevant forms of evidence.
  - 5. At the completion of the investigation, the Attorney General will turn all evidence over to the Senate Internal Affairs Committee with a recommendation of whether disciplinary action should take place.
- d. Should the Attorney General be the subject of an alleged violation of the SGA Constitution and /or Laws or a complaint of the previously stated, the Chair of Internal Affairs will follow the guidelines in Article IV Section 4 Subsection B subsubsection 1 subsubsubsection c.

e. While any SGA member is under investigation, he or she will be suspended (not exceeding 5 school days) from his or her duties until the completion of the investigation and decision by the Senate Internal Affairs Committee on discipline.

Sponsor: Senator Dalton Slatton

Speaker of the Senate

SGA President

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