

SGA Bill 7-10-S



A bill to amend the Bylaws in regards to Senate hours.

- Whereas: The required amount senate hours are clearly stated in the Bylaws.
- Whereas: Senators not completing their hours has become a growing problem within the SGA.
- Whereas: Senators are fully aware of opportunities in order to complete the required amount.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE 72ND CONGRESS OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY THAT:

Section 1: A Section 2 shall be added to the Bylaws under Article VII regarding this issue. Article VII, Section 2 shall read:

“Section 2: If a Senator does not complete the required minimum of twelve Senate hours, they will be up for impeachment and will have to go before the Internal Affairs committee. Any senator that does not complete their minimum twelve senate hours will not be able to rerun for a position within the SGA or earn a SGA graduation stole.”

Section 2: Upon approval from the senate, this bill will go into effect in the following 2010 Fall Semester.

Sponsored by: Senator Nichols
Senator Cobb

Heather Rawson

Speaker of the Senate

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RE: SGA Bill 7-10-S

DATE: May 19, 2010

The attached legislation seeks to amend the Senate By-Laws to hold senators accountable for failing to keep their Senate commitments. Specifically, the bill identifies the procedures to be followed if a senator does not complete his/her required senate hours. I support the SGA's efforts to hold individual Senators accountable for their actions and support this change to the By-Laws.

c: Ms. Samantha Cobb ✓
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