SGA Resolution 08-07-F

A resolution petitioning MTSU Information Technologies Department to block access to certain websites on 75% of computers in the James E. Walker Library and in the Business and Aerospace Building Computer Lab effective during the days of, and ten (10) days prior to, midterm exams and final exams.

Whereas: The primary focus of student activity on University computers should be for educational purposes;

Whereas: During the time period of, and leading up to midterm and final exams, students should be able to obtain computers in the James E. Walker Library and Business and Aerospace Building Computer Lab;

Whereas: Many students need various computer programs that are only available on certain computers in the James E. Walker Library and Business and Aerospace Building Computer Lab;
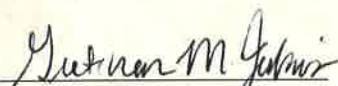
Whereas: Students are often found to be searching for vacant computers, while computers are being used by students who are playing games and using personal interest websites such as facebook.com and myspace.com.

THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE 70TH CONGRESS OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT AT MIDDLE TENNESSEEE STATE UNIVERSITY THAT:

Section 1:
The MTSU Information Technologies Department block access to websites pertaining to the nature of gaming and personal interest, on 75% of computers in the James E. Walker Library and Business and Aerospace Building Computer Lab, during the days of, and ten (10) days prior to, midterm exams and final exams.

Sponsored by: Senator Gammon
Senator Haynes

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Speaker of Senate   SGA President   VP Student Affairs