



STATE OF TENNESSEE
PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, men and women have given their all to serve in the armed forces of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, to secure our freedom, they have put their lives second to the greater good of our nation and its people; and

WHEREAS, some of these dedicated veterans have made a commitment to further their education and attend institutions of higher learning; and

WHEREAS, we join Student Veterans of America, an organization that seeks to promote the academic and professional success of these brave and selfless heroes, in celebrating student veterans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Haslam, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim February 21-27, 2016 as

Student Veterans Week

in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this twenty-sixth day of January, 2016.



Bill Haslam

Governor

Lee Ward

Secretary of State