## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 816**

Commending the Student Government Association of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, February 3, 2017 Agreed to by the Senate, February 9, 2017

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University was established in 1966 in order to provide an effective organization for the administration of student activities and promote academic freedom and academic responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech) seeks to establish and protect student rights and provide a liaison between its student body, faculty, and administration; and

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association of Virginia Tech is committed to fostering awareness of the students' positions in the campus, local, state, and national communities; and

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association of Virginia Tech celebrated its 50th anniversary in April 2016, and continues to effectively support the Virginia Tech student body, faculty, and administration for a representative and enhanced lifestyle; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend the Student Government Association of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University on the occasion of its 50th anniversary; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Student Government Association of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration for its efforts to support the university and its students.