

**An Act to Improve Stairwell Tread Safety**

- Whereas,** an individual's fall risk is increased without a step indicator, and,  
**Whereas,** the stairways on Tech's campus have little to no indicators located on its stair-treads, and,  
**Whereas,** individuals with visual impairments or poor depth perception need stairwell tread indicators to safely navigate stairs on Tech's campus, and,

**NOW THEREFORE,**

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY THAT**

- Section 1:** This bill shall be known as the "Stair-Tread Safety Act of 2021"  
**Section 2:** Each stairwell on Tech's campus will be outfitted with hi-contrast edge highlighters positioned flush with the tread edge.  
**Section 3:** Routine maintenance will be performed when highlighter tape is peeling, torn, or otherwise removed.  
**Section 4:** This Bill shall take effect immediately upon passage by the Student Government Association, the welfare of the students requiring it.

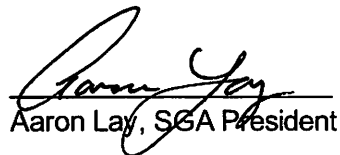
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