

Senate Resolution 267

By: Senators Smith of the 25<sup>th</sup> and Hill of the 4<sup>th</sup>

**ADOPTED**

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Creating the Joint Study Committee on Georgia Military College; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Georgia Military College has a long and distinguished record of service to the  
3 citizens of the State of Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, there is interest in the status of Georgia Military College and its relationship  
5 with state government, including its alignment with the Department of Technical and Adult  
6 Education; and
- 7 WHEREAS, there are numerous issues which must be considered in any potential change in  
8 the status of Georgia Military College, including budgeting, fiscal accountability, staffing,  
9 and programs and educational services provided by the college; and
- 10 WHEREAS, every effort should be undertaken to examine the complex issues involved  
11 before any change is made in the status of Georgia Military College.
- 12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
13 GEORGIA that there is created the Joint Study Committee on Georgia Military College to  
14 be composed of three members to be appointed by the Governor, three members of the  
15 Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of  
16 Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The  
17 Governor shall designate a member of the committee as chairperson of the committee. The  
18 chairperson shall call all meetings of the committee.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee shall undertake a study of the conditions,  
20 needs, issues, and problems mentioned above or related thereto and recommend any actions  
21 or legislation which the committee deems necessary or appropriate. The committee may  
22 conduct such meetings at such places and at such times as it may deem necessary or  
23 convenient to enable it to exercise fully and effectively its powers, perform its duties, and

1 accomplish the objectives and purposes of this resolution. The members of the committee  
2 who are not employees or officials of the executive branch of the state shall receive the  
3 allowances authorized for legislative members of interim legislative committees but shall  
4 receive the same for not more than five days unless additional days are authorized by the  
5 President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The funds  
6 necessary to carry out the provisions of this resolution shall come from the funds  
7 appropriated to the Senate and to the House of Representatives. The Governor and  
8 departments and agencies of the state are authorized and directed to provide assistance to the  
9 committee in the conduct of the study authorized by this resolution. In the event the  
10 committee makes a report of its findings and recommendations, with suggestions for  
11 proposed legislation, if any, such report shall be made on or before December 31, 2001. The  
12 committee shall stand abolished on December 31, 2001.