



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 649

SENATE BILL NO. 1977

By Dickerson, Yarbrow

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2180

By Hazlewood, Ramsey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, relative to needle and hypodermic syringe exchange program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-136(g), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting the following:

(g)(1) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (g)(2), a program established pursuant to this section shall not conduct an exchange within two thousand feet (2,000') of any school or public park.

(2) A program established pursuant to this section shall not conduct an exchange within one thousand feet (1,000') of any school or public park. This subdivision (g)(2) applies only to a:

(A) County having a metropolitan form of government with a population of more than five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census; and

(B) Municipality with a population in excess of one hundred sixty-five thousand (165,000), according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

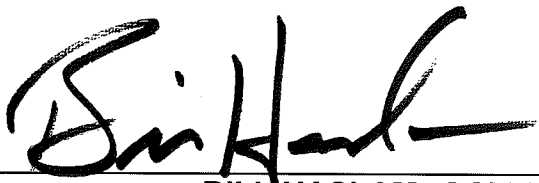
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PASSED: March 26, 2018


RANDY McNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 9th day of April 2018


BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR