

**Local Government Committee 1**

**Amendment No. 1 to HB0625**

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Signature of Sponsor**

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 512\***

**House Bill No. 625**

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-19-116(a), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (a)(1) and adding the following as a new subdivision (a)(2):

(2) No candidate or representative of a candidate shall print or cause to be printed, or assist in the distribution or transportation of any, campaign signs or other campaign materials advocating the election of a candidate that represent or imply such candidate to be the incumbent, such as the use of the word "re-elect," unless the candidate is the incumbent. As used in this subdivision (a)(2), "incumbent" means the person presently holding the office at the time of qualifying for election to the office being sought.

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