

Amendment No. 1 to SB0141

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 141\*

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by inserting the following new section immediately preceding the last section and renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION \_\_. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-3-909, is amended by deleting subdivision (a)(7) and adding the following as a new subsection:

(c)

(1) All private probation officers to be employed by entities providing private probation services pursuant to this part shall:

(A) Be required to supply a fingerprint sample and submit to a criminal history records check to be conducted by the Tennessee bureau of investigation (TBI) and the federal bureau of investigation (FBI) or other vendor contracted for the same purposes prior to being employed with such entities; and

(B) Agree that the TBI may send to the council information indicating the results of the criminal history records check. The results will indicate whether the applicant has a criminal conviction that would result in a private probation officer being denied employment by such entities.

(2) The applicant shall pay any reasonable costs incurred by the TBI or FBI, or both, in conducting an investigation of an applicant for employment as a private probation officer. In lieu of additional criminal history records checks for subsequent applications for employment, the applicant may submit copies of the

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applicant's initial criminal history records check documentation and shall not be required to pay any additional costs.