



March 27, 2023

**SUMMARY OF BILL AS AMENDED (006232):** Includes staying in an overnight shelter that is located in a fixed, permanent building and administered by a municipality to provide shelter from adverse weather or other emergency as a specific or legitimate reason for which a sexual offender or violent sexual offender may stand, sit idly, whether or not the offender is in a vehicle, or remain within 1,000 feet of the property line of any building owned or operated by any public school, private or parochial school, licensed day care center, other child care facility, public park, playground, recreation center or public athletic field available for use by the general public when children under 18 years of age are present.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL AS AMENDED:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-39-211(d)(1)(B), a sexual offender or violent sexual offender may not stand, sit idly, whether or not the offender is in a vehicle, or remain within 1,000 of the property line of any building owned or operated by any public school, private or parochial school, licensed day care center, other child care facility, public park, playground, recreation center or public athletic field available for use by the general public in this state when children under 18 years of age are present, while not having a reason or relationship involving custody of or responsibility for a child or any other specific or legitimate reason for being there.
- The proposed legislation includes staying in an overnight shelter that is located in a fixed, permanent building and administered by a municipality to provide shelter from adverse weather or other emergency as a specific or legitimate reason for such an offender to be there.
- The proposed changes are not estimated to result in a sufficient decrease in violations of the relevant prohibitions to significantly impact state or local revenue or expenditures related to fines or incarceration.
- Any fiscal impact to state or local government is therefore estimated to be not significant.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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