

HOUSE BILL 478

By Travis

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55
and Title 56, relative to insurance.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-12-139(b)(1), is amended by adding the language "whether in paper or electronic format," immediately after the language "Tennessee,".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-12-139, is amended by adding the following new subsections:

(g) For purposes of this section, acceptable electronic formats include display of electronic images on a cellular phone or any other type of portable electronic device.

(h) If a person displays the evidence in an electronic format pursuant to this section, the person is not consenting for law enforcement to access any other contents of the electronic device.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.