

HOUSE BILL 1061

By Jernigan

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
Chapter 21, relative to placards issued to drivers
with disabilities.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-21-103(e), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (e)(1) and by adding the following language as a new subdivision (e)(2):

() Beginning on January 1, 2016, and each year thereafter, the department shall verify that the owner of each disabled parking placard has not died. The verification shall include, but is not limited to, consultation of death records maintained by the department of health. If a recipient of a disabled parking placard is found to be deceased, the department shall promptly invalidate the placard.

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