

HOUSE BILL 1447

By Weaver

AN ACT to amend Chapter 796 of the Private Acts of 1947; as amended by Chapter 109 of the Private Acts of 2000; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the charter of the Town of Liberty.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 796 of the Private Acts of 1947, as amended by Chapter 109 of the Private Acts of 2000, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the provisions added by Section 3 of Chapter 109 of the Private Acts of 2000 and adding the following to the end of Section 5:

Section 5A. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall have the authority to authorize a payment to each alderman for the alderman's attendance at meetings of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Such payment shall not exceed forty-five dollars (\$45.00), may not be paid to an alderman more often than once a month, and is conditioned on the alderman's attendance at the regular monthly board meeting.

If the Board votes to authorize payment to the aldermen, such payment shall not take effect until after the next regular election for aldermen following such authorization vote has occurred.

Section 5B. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall have the authority to authorize a payment to the Mayor for attendance at meetings of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. Such payment shall not exceed forty-five dollars (\$45.00), may not be paid to the Mayor more often than once a month, and is conditioned on the Mayor's attendance at the regular monthly board meeting.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of the Town of Liberty. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.