## **HOUSE BILL 1508**

## By Durham

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1, relative to criminal offenses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-101, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(1) and substituting instead the following:

(b)

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- (A) Assault under subdivision (a)(1) is a Class A misdemeanor punishable by incarceration and a fine not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000).
  - (B) Assault under subdivision (a)(2) is a Class A misdemeanor.
  - (C) Assault under subdivision (a)(3) is a Class B misdemeanor.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-101, is further amended by deleting subsection (c).

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-102, is amended by deleting subdivision (e)(1) and substituting instead the following:

(e)

(1)

- (A) Aggravated assault under subdivision (a)(1)(A) or (c) is a Class C felony punishable by incarceration and a fine not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).
  - (B) Aggravated assault under subsection (b) is a Class C felony.

- (C) Aggravated assault under subdivision (a)(1)(B) is a Class D felony punishable by incarceration and a fine not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).
- (D) Aggravated assault under subsection (d) is a Class A misdemeanor.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.