

HOUSE BILL 2252

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-121-106, relative to inspection fees.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-121-106(1)(B), is amended by deleting subdivisions (i) and (ii) in their entirety and substituting instead the following:

(i) The installer of an elevator, dumbwaiter, escalator or moving walk shall pay directly to the department or its authorized representative an inspection fee not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100);

(ii) The installer of an aerial passenger tramway shall pay directly to the department or its authorized representative an inspection fee not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200);

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-121-106, is amended by deleting subdivision (6) in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(6) In the event that the report required by subdivision (5) is not filed with the department within twenty (20) days after the final date when the elevator, dumbwaiter, escalator or moving walk should have been inspected, as required by subdivisions (2) and (3), the commissioner shall designate a licensed inspector in the employ of the state to make the inspection and to report to the department. For each such inspection and report made at the direction of the commissioner, the owner or lessee of such elevator or escalator shall pay to the department an inspection fee of a minimum of twenty five dollars (\$25) with a maximum of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150), such fees to be charged as adopted by the board under § 68-121-103(a)(5). Such fees shall be paid directly to the department, shall not be paid to the inspector, and shall be the only fee for

which the owner or lessee shall be liable under this chapter for the inspections required by subdivisions (2) and (3);

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