HOUSE BILL 2735

By Mumpower

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-198, relative to traffic violation surveillance cameras.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-198, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

() After the effective date of this act no surveillance cameras to enforce or monitor traffic violations shall be installed. Surveillance cameras employed upon the effective date of this act may continue to be used pending the expiration of any contract governing their operation or until the costs of such surveillance cameras have been recovered. Upon the expiration of the contract governing its operation or upon the recovery of costs for a surveillance camera, the use of such surveillance camera shall be discontinued.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.