SENATE BILL 111

By Norris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-431, relative to the weight of immediate methamphetamine precursors.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-431(c)(3), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(3) The limits in this subsection (c) shall apply whether one (1) form of identification required in subsection (d) is used to make the purchase or if two (2) or more forms of identification required in subsection (d) are used to purchase the products. The limits contained in this subsection (c) shall apply to the overall weight of the product containing ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and their salts and isomers or salts of isomers. The prohibitions contained in this subsection (c) shall not apply to a person who obtains the product or products pursuant to a valid prescription issued by a licensed health care practitioner authorized to prescribe by the laws of the state.

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

it.