

SENATE BILL 470

By Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 17, relative to sexual exploitation of a
minor.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1003(d), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

A violation of this section is a Class D felony; however, if the number of individual images, materials, or combination of images and materials that are possessed is more than fifty (50), or if the state proves the actual identity or age of the minor, then the offense shall be a Class C felony. If the number of individual images, materials, or combination of images and materials exceeds one hundred (100), the offense shall be a Class B felony.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015, the public welfare requiring it.