SENATE BILL 495

By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, relative to tobacco products.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1603, is amended by inserting the following language as a new, appropriately numbered item:

() "Motor vehicle" means any self-propelled vehicle licensed for on-road usage, other than a motorcycle, motor scooter or motorized bicycle, regardless of whether the self-propelled vehicle is publicly or privately owned, leased or rented; whether the vehicle is operated for public, private, or commercial purposes; or whether the windows or doors of the vehicle are in an opened or closed position.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1604, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately numbered item:

(11) Any motor vehicle whenever any child is present in the motor vehicle.
SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.