SENATE BILL 810

By Kelsey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 28, relative to limitation of actions.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 28-1-116, is amended by deleting the first sentence in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

In the event that the governor declares a disaster pursuant to § 58-2-107 or a duly authorized member of the appellate judiciary enters an order declaring a disaster pursuant to the Tennessee supreme court rules, or the Tennessee rules of civil or appellate procedure, all applicable statutes of limitations and statutes of repose shall be extended in the counties subject to the order by the same number of days by which other applicable filing deadlines are extended.

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

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