SENATE BILL 1176

By Overbey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 102, relative to deputy electrical inspectors.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-102-143(b)(2), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following language:

The commissioner has the authority to set maximum inspection fees for services and to facilitate the administration and effective enforcement of this subdivision (b).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-102-147(g), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following language:

(g)

- (1) The maximum inspection fees for services established by the commissioner of the department of commerce and insurance pursuant to the authority granted in § 68-102-143(b)(2) shall also apply to:
 - (A) Electrical inspections made by inspectors commissioned by the state fire marshal; and
 - (B) Manufactured home or travel trailer inspections made by inspectors commissioned by the state fire marshal where a combination of energy is used (electric, gas, oil, or other).
- (2) Fees charged pursuant to this subdivision (g) are to be derived from converting BTUs of gas, oil, or other energy-consuming equipment installed and inspected to the corresponding electric service required for the total energy requirements.

SECTION 3. For purposes of promulgating rules and regulations, this act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act shall take effect January 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.