



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 251

HOUSE BILL NO. 1151

By Representatives Ragan, Griffey, Sherrell, Powers, Rudd, Holt

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1297

By Senators Pody, Rose

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39 and Title 40, relative to indecent exposure.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-511, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

() As used in this section, "public place" means a place to which the public or a group of persons has access and includes, but is not limited to, highways, transportation facilities, schools, places of amusement, parks, places of business, playgrounds and hallways, lobbies, and other portions of apartment houses and hotels not constituting rooms or apartments designed for actual residence, and a restroom, locker room, dressing room, or shower, designated for multi-person, single-sex use. An act is deemed to occur in a public place if it produces its offensive or proscribed consequences in a public place;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-511(a)(1)(A), is amended by deleting the language "In a public place, as defined in § 39-11-106," and substituting instead the language "In a public place".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 30, 2019



GLEN CASADA, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RANDY MCNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 2nd day of May 2019



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR