

SENATE BILL 1611

By Beavers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70,
Chapter 2, Part 1, relative to hunting and fishing
licenses and permits.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, Chapter 2, Part 1, is amended by adding a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 70-2-1__.

(a) Hunting and fishing licenses and permits issued by the wildlife resources commission shall be treated as confidential and shall not be open for inspection by members of the public.

(b) Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit access to these records by law enforcement agencies, courts, or other governmental agencies performing official functions.

(c) Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit access to information made confidential under this section when the holder of a hunting or fishing license or permit expressly authorizes the release of such information.

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