SENATE BILL 2542

By Marrero B

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 3, relative to electronic medical records.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-304, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(...) No hospital record that is, or is intended to be, stored in an electronic database or electronically transmitted shall include a patient's, or any other person's, social security number.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.