

SENATE BILL 2842

By Jackson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40,
relative to expunction of certain offenses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-32-101(k)(1)(B), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

(iii) Three (3) misdemeanors, if all of the misdemeanors were for violations of title 70;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-32-101(k)(1)(C)(i), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(i) Five (5) years have elapsed since the completion of the sentence imposed for the most recent offense, if all offenses were misdemeanors or if the offenses were one (1) Class E felony and one (1) misdemeanor; and

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-32-101(k)(1), is amended by deleting the language "a person who was convicted of no more than two (2) offenses" and substituting instead the language "a person who was convicted of no more than two (2) offenses or, if all of the offenses were misdemeanor violations of title 70, no more than three (3) offenses,".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-32-101(k)(2), is amended by deleting the language "of two (2) offenses".

SECTION 5. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to petitions filed on or after that date.