HOUSE BILL 2799

By McCormick

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 6, relative to voting by military and overseas citizens.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-6-301(a), is amended by deleting such subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a)

- (1) In those counties in which computerized duplicate registration records are used, the attesting official shall update the voter's computerized voter history by making the appropriate data entry.
- (2) Upon issuance of an absentee ballot, the voter may not thereafter vote in the election except by absentee ballot; provided, however, that if the ballot is issued pursuant to § 2-6-502, then this subdivision (a)(2) does not apply.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-6-503(a), is amended by adding the following language after the language "shall mail a ballot": "or email a ballot and instructions as an attached document in pdf format".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.