Amendment No. 1 to SB1297

Bell Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1297

House Bill No. 1151*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

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.