HOUSE BILL 1563

By Mitchell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 41, relative to private prison contracts.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 41, Chapter 24, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

On and after the effective date of this act, a local government shall not enter into or renew a contract with a prison contractor for correctional services.

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