HOUSE BILL 2277

By Mitchell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, relative to firearm sales.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1316(a)(1), is amended by deleting the language "persons who have been convicted of the offense of stalking" and substituting "persons who are under twenty-one (21) years of age, persons who have been convicted of the offense of stalking".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1316(q), is amended by adding the following new subdivision (q)(4) and redesignating the existing subdivision (q)(4) appropriately:

- (4) It is an offense to sell or offer to sell a firearm to a person knowing that the person is under twenty-one (21) years of age.
- SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.