

Amendment No. 2 to HB1607

Lamberth
Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1594

House Bill No. 1607*

by inserting the following new section immediately preceding the penultimate section and renumbering the subsequent sections accordingly:

SECTION ____.

(a) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, the bridge on U.S. Highway 31E (Johnny Cash Parkway) spanning Drakes Creek near Memorial Park and the intersection of such route with Clearview Circle in the City of Hendersonville is hereby designated "The Oak Ridge Boys Bridge" to honor this legendary country and gospel musical group with a distinctive sound that has toured and recorded award-winning music for fifty years.

(b) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the bridge described in subsection (a) as "The Oak Ridge Boys Bridge".

(c) The erection of the signs must be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, and within state supplemental guidelines, as applicable.

(d) This section becomes operative only if the cost of the manufacture and installation of the signs is paid to the department of transportation from nonstate funds within one (1) year of the effective date of this act. The payment must be made prior to any expenditure by the state for the manufacture or installation of the signs. The department shall return any unused portion of the estimated cost to the person or entity paying for the signs within thirty (30) days of the erection of the signs. If the actual cost

exceeds the estimated cost, then an amount equal to the difference in the costs must be remitted to the department in nonstate funds within thirty (30) days of the sponsoring person or entity receiving an itemized invoice of the actual cost from the department.