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HOUSE BILL 37

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 30; Title 31 and Title 32, relative to claims against an estate.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-306(a), is amended by deleting the language "Except as provided in subsection (e), it" and substituting instead the language "It".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-306(b), is amended by deleting subdivision (2) and redesignating subdivisions (1)(A) and (1)(B) as subdivisions (1) and (2), respectively.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-306(e), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-307(a)(2), is amended by deleting the language "Before the date that is twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death," and substituting instead the language "Before the date that is four (4) months from the first publication of notice required by § 30-2-306(b),".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-307(a)(2), is further amended by deleting the language "before the date that is twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death" and substituting instead the language "before the date that is four (4) months from the first publication of notice required by § 30-2-306(b)".

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-307(d), is amended by deleting the language "not later than twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death" and

substituting instead the language "not later than four (4) months from the first publication of notice required by § 30-2-306(b)".

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-307(d), is further amended by deleting the language "or received more than twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death" and substituting instead the language "or received more than four (4) months from the first publication of notice required by § 30-2-306(b)".

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-310(a), is amended by deleting the language "or, if later, in which suit has not been brought or revived before the end of twelve (12) months from the date of death of the decedent,".

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 30-2-310(b), is amended by deleting the language "or, if later, in which suit has not been brought or revived before the end of twelve (12) months from the date of death of the decedent,".

SECTION 10. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.