HOUSE BILL 483

By Harwell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37, Chapter 10, Part 2, relative to missing child reports.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-10-203, is amended by deleting the language:

A law enforcement agency reporting a missing child is further authorized to report the missing child to any other law enforcement agency.

and substituting instead the language:

A law enforcement agency reporting a missing child is further required to enter the report of the missing child into the national crime information center (NCIC) within two (2) hours of the receipt of the missing child report.

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