**HOUSE BILL 728** 

By Pody

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 7; Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65, relative to telecommunication services.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-52-604(c), is amended by deleting the language:

On or before June 30, 2005, the office of the comptroller of the treasury shall prepare a report to the general assembly evaluating the operations of municipal electric systems offering services permitted by this part, which shall include a recommendation as to whether the authority to provide such services should be expanded, restricted or terminated.

and substituting instead the language:

On or before January 1, 2016, the office of the comptroller of the treasury shall prepare a report to the business and utilities committee of the house of representatives and the commerce and labor committee of the senate evaluating the operations of municipal electric systems offering services permitted by this part, which shall include a recommendation as to whether the authority to provide the services should be expanded, restricted, or terminated.

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

it.