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HOUSE BILL 1162

By Kane

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8; Title 47 and Title 55, relative to notaries public.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-16-117, is amended by deleting the section and substituting instead the following:

The deposition of a notary public may be taken, whether a suit be pending or not, on ten (10) days' notice to the opposite party, if resident in the state, and thirty (30) days' notice out of the state, to be read as evidence between the same parties in any suit then or afterward depending, should the notary die or leave the state before the trial.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to depositions taken on or after that date.