

HOUSE BILL 1243

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 69,  
Chapter 9, relative to non-motorized vessels.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-9-227(b)(2), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting the following:

(2) The regulatory authority granted under subdivision (b)(1) shall not apply to:

(A) Commercial outfitters operating pursuant to and in possession of a permit issued by the United States forest service on waters in and adjacent to the Cherokee National Forest; and

(B) Commercial outfitters who access the waters of Tennessee with non-motorized vessels that are leased or rented to the public only directly from privately-owned real property.

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