

HOUSE BILL 1273

By Kernell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 2, relative to the expiration of certain rules and regulations.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-226, is amended by deleting subsection (a) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a) Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, unless legislation is enacted to delete the expiration date provided in subsection (a), a permanent rule filed in the office of the secretary of state shall expire as follows:

(1) Permanent rules filed in the office of secretary of state from January 1 to June 30 shall expire on March 15 of the following year; and

(2) Permanent rules filed in the office of secretary of state from July 1 to December 31 shall expire on June 1 of the year following its filing.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it and shall apply to all permanent rules filed in the office of secretary of state after the effective date of this act.