

HOUSE BILL 1276

By Ferguson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68,
Chapter 11, relative to fire safety.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-235, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(p) If the fire marshal determines as part of a fire risk assessment that an in-line oxygen arrester would be a practical and useful tool to facilitate safety in a nursing home it shall be installed and operational within six (6) months of such determination.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-236, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(l) If the fire marshal determines as part of a fire risk assessment that an in-line oxygen arrester would be a practical and useful tool to facilitate safety in an assisted-care living facility it shall be installed and operational within six (6) months of such determination.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-237, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(m) If the fire marshal determines as part of a fire risk assessment that an in-line oxygen arrester would be a practical and useful tool to facilitate safety in a facility it shall be installed and operational within six (6) months of such determination.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.