

HOUSE BILL 1301

By Sparks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
relative to the towing of motor vehicles.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 16, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

(a) A towing firm may charge a fee to release a motor vehicle that has been attached for towing, prior to transporting the motor vehicle to any other location, when the motor vehicle has been parked on private property without authority. However, the fee shall not be more than twenty dollars (\$20.00).

(b) A violation of this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015, the public welfare requiring it.