

HOUSE BILL 1555

By McCormick

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-603, relative to the use of safety belts on vehicles with gross weight ratings in excess of 8,500 pounds.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-603(c), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and substituting instead the following language:

(c) As used in this section, unless specified otherwise, "passenger car" or "passenger motor vehicle" does not include any motor vehicle that is used as a public or livery conveyance for passengers or any motor vehicles that are not required by federal law to be equipped with safety belts.

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