

HOUSE BILL 1568

By Faison

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38;
Title 39; Title 40; Title 43; Title 53 and Section 67-
4-2802, relative to cannabis.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 53-11-201, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(l) The following types of property are not subject to seizure under this part based solely on their composition:

(1) Hemp, as defined in § 43-27-101;

(2) Any isolates or derivatives of hemp other than delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol (THC); and

(3) Any hemp-derived products that do not contain more than three-tenths of one percent (0.3%) of delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol (THC).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 7, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

A person shall not be subjected to a search by a law enforcement officer or by another person acting under the direction, supervision, or authority of a law enforcement officer based solely upon the detection of the odor of the cannabis plant, including the odor of any emission produced only by the burning or vaporization of the cannabis plant.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.