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HOUSE BILL 1782

By Carter

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55 and Title 68, relative to motor vehicle inspection requirements.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-130, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(i)

- (1) As used in subdivision (i)(2), "attainment status" means no part of a county is designated as a maintenance or nonattainment area according to the attainment nonattainment list promulgated by the United States environmental protection agency pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 7407(d).
- (2) No contract regarding the operation of a vehicle inspection and maintenance program to attain or maintain compliance with national ambient air standards shall be entered into or renewed by a county that is in attainment status as of the effective date of this act.

SECTION 2. The air pollution control board is authorized to promulgate rules to effectuate the purposes of this act. All such rules shall be promulgated in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5.

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