HOUSE BILL 1858

By Davis

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 38, Part 6, relative to the home address confidentiality program.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-38-604(a), is amended by deleting "has either" and substituting "resides at an address not previously identified in any public record as the person's address, or has".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-38-604(b)(6)(B), is amended by adding "currently resides at an address unknown to the offender and not previously identified in any public record as the person's address or" after "on whose behalf the application is made,".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-38-604(d)(7)(B), is amended by deleting the first sentence of the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

A sworn statement by the co-applicant that the co-applicant intends to move with the applicant, or the child of the applicant or the person with a disability for whom the applicant serves as a fiduciary, to an address unknown to the offender and not previously identified in any public record as the address of the applicant or co-applicant, or to a new address unknown to the offender within the following ninety (90) calendar days.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-38-605(c), is amended by deleting "with the assistance of an application assistant" and substituting "with or without the assistance of an application assistant".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-38-605(c), is amended by deleting the period at the end of the subsection and substituting ", except for the information described in § 40-38-604(b)(6) and (11).".

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-38-605, is amended by adding the following new subsection (d) and redesignating the current subsection (d) as subsection (e):

(d) A co-applicant who was under eighteen (18) years of age when enrolled in the program, but who is at least eighteen (18) years of age at the time the renewal application is submitted, may renew the co-applicant's participation in the program by submitting a renewal application to the secretary of state with the assistance of an application assistant. The renewal application must be on a form prescribed by the secretary of state and contain all of the information described in § 40-38-604, except for the information described in § 40-38-604(b)(6).

SECTION 7. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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