

HOUSE BILL 2381

By Hazlewood

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 7,  
Chapter 51, relative to regulation of passenger  
vehicles for hire.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-51-1007(a), is amended by deleting the language "shuttle and taxicab service" and substituting instead the language "shuttle, transpotainment, and taxicab service".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-51-1007(b), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

(5) "Transpotainment" means any motor vehicle, which for the purposes of this section, includes a wagon pulled by a tractor or other motor vehicle, other than a limousine, sedan, shuttle, or taxicab, that is designed or constructed to accommodate and transport any number of passengers for hire, the principal operation of which is confined to the area within the corporate limits of cities and the suburban territory adjacent to the cities, whether it is operated on a fixed route or schedule, and where the passengers hire the motor vehicle not only as a means of transportation, but also for some entertainment or social purpose.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-51-1007(c), is amended by deleting the language "shuttles and taxicabs" and substituting instead the language "shuttles, transpotainment, and taxicabs".

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.