HOUSE BILL 2424

By Turner M

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 16, relative to towing firms.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 16, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

§ 55-16-114.

- (a) A towing firm that transports a motor vehicle from a private property may charge a fee to release such motor vehicle; provided, that such fee shall not be more than sixty-five dollars (\$65.00).
 - (b) A violation of this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.