## **HOUSE BILL 2430**

## By Mitchell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 6, relative to taxation of gun safes and gun safety devices.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

- (a) As used in this section:
  - (1) "Gun safe" means a locking container or other enclosure equipped with a padlock, key lock, combination lock, or other locking device that is designed and intended for the secure storage of one (1) or more firearms; and
  - (2) "Gun safety device" means any integral device to be equipped or installed on a firearm that permits a user to program the firearm to operate only for specified persons designated by the user through computerized locking devices or other means integral to and permanently part of the firearm.
- (b) There is exempt from the sales and use tax imposed by this chapter all sales of gun safes and gun safety devices.
- SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020, the public welfare requiring it.