## **HOUSE BILL 2434**

## By Weaver

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, Chapter 1, Part 2, relative to vacancies on the Tennessee wildlife resources commission.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-204, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (f):

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- (1) A vacancy, other than through expiration of the terms of the members of the commission, shall occur due to death, resignation, removal pursuant to § 70-1-205, disqualification, change of residence or persistent absence from meetings without good cause.
- (2) Persistent absence from meetings for which a member shall be removed and a vacancy be declared occurs if a member failed to attend six (6) or more meetings of the commission in any one (1) year.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.