



# *State of Tennessee*

## **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1048**

**SENATE BILL NO. 2304**

**By Gardenhire, Rose, Walley**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2684

By Doggett, Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-139 and Section 40-11-142, relative to release of defendants.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-139(d), is amended by deleting the language "ten (10) days" and substituting "ten (10) business days".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-142(a), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting instead the following language:

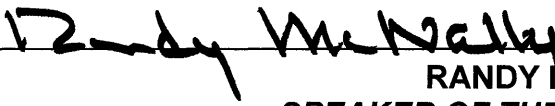
(a) After an officer arrests a person, but prior to the determination of bail for the arrest offense by the judge or magistrate, due diligence must be exercised in determining the existence of any prior arrest or conviction. The results of this investigation must be made a part of the person's law enforcement file.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-142(b), is amended by deleting "means the officer makes" and substituting "means making" and by deleting "to which the officer or officer's agency has access".

SECTION 4. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 24, 2024

  
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RANDY McNALLY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024

  
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BILL LEE, GOVERNOR