HOUSE BILL 2696

By Doggett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, relative to conditions of release.

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

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-7-103(b), is amended by deleting "pursuant to § 40-11-150" and substituting "pursuant to title 40, chapter 11, part 1".
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-112, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following subsection (b):
 - (b) A person who violates a condition of release imposed pursuant to this part commits a Class A misdemeanor and may be arrested with or without a warrant as provided in § 40-7-103(b).
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-150, is amended by deleting subdivision (i)(2) and substituting:
 - (2) If the violation of the condition of release does not also constitute a violation of § 39-13-113, then the release condition violation must be punished as provided in § 40-11-112(b). The bail of the person violating the condition of release may be revoked by the court having jurisdiction of the original offense.
- SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-150, is amended by deleting subdivision (k)(4)(B) and substituting:
 - (B) If the violation of the condition of release does not also constitute a violation of § 39-13-113, then the release condition violation must be punished as provided in § 40-11-112(b). The bail of the person violating the condition of release may be revoked by the court having jurisdiction of the original offense.

SECTION 5. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.

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