HOUSE BILL 2809

By McDonald

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-4-604 and Section 10-7-503, relative to reasonable charges for providing copies of public records.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-4-604(a), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision (4):

(4) Notwithstanding the schedule of reasonable charges for copies of public records established by the office of open records counsel in accordance with this subsection (a), the police department of any municipality having a population of not less than eight thousand four hundred fifty (8,450) nor more than eight thousand four hundred sixty (8,460), according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census is authorized to charge five dollars (\$5.00) for each accident report and for such reports the city council is not required to follow the guidelines established pursuant to such schedule as a per page cost for the report.

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

it.