SENATE BILL 7106 By Akbari

HOUSE BILL 7078

By Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, relative to stalking offenses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-315, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

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(1) In addition to the other penalties listed in this section, the sentencing court shall order a defendant convicted of stalking, aggravated stalking, or especially aggravated stalking to carry or wear a global positioning monitoring system device and, unless the defendant is indigent, pay the costs associated with operating that system in relation to the defendant for a period of at least one (1) year.

(2) As used in this subsection (), "global positioning monitoring system" means the same as defined in § 40-11-152.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect October 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.