

State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 322

HOUSE BILL NO. 412

By Representatives Jernigan, Crawford, Terry

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 404

By Senators Haile, Pody

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38 and Title 62, Chapter 35, relative to retired law enforcement officers.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-35-103, is amended by deleting subdivision (a)(12) and substituting:

(12) A retired peace officer receiving compensation for services as a guard, patrol, or watchperson under a contract with a private business that is properly licensed by the state; provided, that the retired peace officer:

(A)

(i) Completes the firearms and marksmanship training required by § 62-35-118(b); and

(ii) Has a written directive issued by the executive supervisor of the organization to which the person was attached or employed authorizing the person to carry a handgun; or

(B) Is authorized to carry a firearm pursuant to § 38-8-116(b);

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 22, 2021

CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

RANDY MCNALLY SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 4th day of Mdy 2021

BILL LEE, GOVERNOR