



# *State of Tennessee*

## **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 438**

**SENATE BILL NO. 427**

**By Yager, Bowling**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 540

By Powers, Griffey, Sherrell, Jernigan

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 5, relative to directional signs for public community colleges.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-5-708(1), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (A) and adding the following as a new subdivision:

(B) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, any state community colleges that are within the service area of Roane State Community College, located in any county having a population of not less than forty thousand seven hundred (40,700) nor more than forty thousand eight hundred (40,800), according to the 2010 federal census, or any subsequent federal census, and located within five (5) miles of Interstate 75, must be signed pursuant to subdivision (1)(A) regardless of the number of students enrolled in the colleges.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 27, 2021

  
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RANDY McNALLY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 2021

  
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BILL LEE, GOVERNOR