

## **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 398**

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 526**

### By Southerland

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1062

By Sanderson, Daniel, Alexander, McCormick

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 21, relative to billboard regulation.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-21-104(b), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and adding the following language as subdivision (2):

- (2) For the purposes of issuing permits and regulating outdoor advertising devices in accordance with this chapter, the location of a permitted device shall be determined by the location of the supporting monopole, or by the location of the supporting pole nearest to the highway in the case of a device erected on multiple supporting poles; provided, however, that where a permitted multiple-pole device may be lawfully reconstructed, the replacement of the supporting poles with a monopole shall not be considered a change of location requiring a new permit if:
  - (A) The permittee gives advance notice to, and receives the prior approval of, the department before reconstructing the device;
  - (B) The monopole is erected within the line segment defined by the previous supporting poles; and
    - (C) The location of the monopole meets applicable spacing requirements.

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

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