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SENATE BILL 1162

By Niceley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, relative to fingerprint identification of voters.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 1, is amended by adding the following new section:

(a) The state election commission and each county election commission may

utilize technology to identify the fingerprints of voters for purposes of conducting elections in this state in accordance with this title.

(b) Each state agency, including the Tennessee bureau of investigation, with a

fingerprint database, shall collaborate with the secretary of state for the purpose of

facilitating the intent of this section.

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