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SENATE BILL 1288

By Jackson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-1-412; Title 4, Chapter 8; and Title 4, Chapter 11, relative to heritage protection.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-1-412(f), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

() A state or local public officer or official who violates subdivision (b)(1) or

(b)(2) is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor and such offense constitutes grounds for impeachment or ouster, as applicable. Such officer or official is personally liable for damages, penalties, and fines for the violation.

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