## SENATE BILL 1376

## By Southerland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4; Title 7; Title 8; Title 29 and Title 63, relative to first responders.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-51-210(a)(2), is amended by adding the language "emergency call taker or public safety dispatcher," after the language "emergency medical technician,".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-210(a), is amended by adding the language ", emergency call takers or public safety dispatchers," after the language "law enforcement officers".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-404(a)(2), is amended by adding the language "emergency call takers or public safety dispatchers," after the language "law enforcement officers,".

SECTION 4. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.