SENATE BILL 1616

By Norris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 25, Part 1 and Section 41-4-115, relative to payment of costs and expenses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 25, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

4-25-1 .

() No claim against the state for payment of costs under this chapter shall be paid unless the claim is submitted to the department of correction within six (6) months from the date of entry of the judgment of conviction.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 41-4-115, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() No claim against the state for payment of expenses under this section shall be paid unless the claim is submitted to the department of correction within six (6) months from the date the services were provided.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.