HOUSE BILL 1796 By Farmer

SENATE BILL 1827

By Southerland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, relative to registration of certain vehicles used for farming purposes.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-115, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(e) Notwithstanding this section or other law to the contrary, any motor vehicle having a gross weight exceeding nine thousand pounds (9,000 lbs.) used exclusively for the movement of horticultural, agricultural, or dairy products or livestock for a grower or farmer from the point of production to the first market, or operated as a farm truck as defined in § 55-1-119, and operated not for hire solely intrastate, shall not be required to display farm permits or other seasonal or temporary operating permits.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.