

SENATE BILL 2000

By Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 13, Part 5, relative to the offense of
aggravated rape.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-502, is amended by adding a
new subdivision (4) to subsection (a):

(4) The defendant administered a controlled substance or narcotic drug to the
victim for the purpose of rendering the victim unconscious or incapacitated, and the
victim had no knowledge of, or consent to, the administration of the substance or drug.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020, the public welfare requiring it.