SENATE BILL 2010

By Southerland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-25-105, relative to railroads.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-25-105, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() Nothing in this chapter affects, abrogates, or eliminates in any way any obligation of a cooperative or such others that are permitted by law to operate within the cooperative's service area to comply with any applicable safety and permitting requirements of a railroad company with respect to property that is held or controlled by such railroad company and in, on, over, or across which an easement is located.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.