SENATE BILL 2243

By Tracy

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 54; Title 64 and Title 67, relative to transportation.

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

SECTION 1. The department of transportation is urged to study the feasibility and costs of requiring local governments to mark any steps on trolley coaches or buses that are a part of a public transportation system, as well as any ramps at crosswalks, in both business and residential areas, with black and yellow, low vision, anti-slip paint, so as to make the transition from public transit to street to sidewalk easily negotiable for the benefit of persons who are sight impaired. The department is urged to report its findings and any recommendations relative to such study to the transportation and safety committee of the senate and the transportation committee of the house of representatives by January 15, 2015.

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