SENATE BILL 2445

By Ford

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 5, relative to sexual offenses.

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

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-502(a), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:
 - (4) The defendant photographs or records by any means the act and distributes the image taken in any way including by uploading the image to the Internet or transmitting the image in a text message.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-504(a), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:
 - (5) The defendant photographs or records by any means the act and distributes the image taken in any way including by uploading the image to the Internet or transmitting the image in a text message.
 - SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.