SENATE BILL 2531

By Lamar

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4, relative to drug paraphernalia.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-425, is amended by deleting subdivision (a)(2) and substituting:

(2)

- (A) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2)(B), a person who violates subdivision (a)(1) commits a Class A misdemeanor.
- (B) A person who violates subdivision (a)(1) commits a Class E felony if the drug paraphernalia used or possessed is a pill press device or pieces of a pill press device.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.