SENATE BILL 2882

By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-213, relative to vehicular homicide.

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

SECTION 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Rachel Clawson Act of 2010".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-213(a), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:

(4) The driver's failure to exercise due care, or inadvertence or inattention, in a

construction zone or a school safety zone.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-213(b), is amended by adding

the following language as a new subdivision:

(3) Vehicular homicide under subsection (a)(4) is a Class D felony.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.