

CHAPTER NO. 603

SENATE BILL NO. 3084

By Clabough

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3012

By Walker

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-204, relative to the collection of delinquent civil penalties.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-204, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection (e):

In the event of nonpayment of any civil penalty lawfully assessed by the department or any board or commission attached thereto, the commissioner of agriculture may revoke a current license or permit or deny renewal of a license or permit until the respective civil penalties have been paid in full. Payment of the civil penalty does not necessarily obligate the commissioner to issue any license or permit. Provided, however, no such action affecting licenses or permits shall be taken without a hearing as provided in the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5.

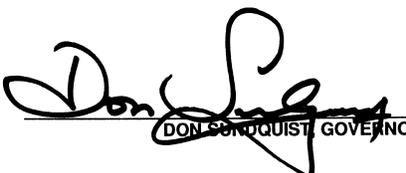
SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: March 13, 2000

  
JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 2000

  
DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR