

CHAPTER NO. 773

HOUSE BILL NO. 3495

By Representatives McMillan, McDonald

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3412

By Senators Crutchfield, Jackson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 11-3-112, relative to purchasing procedures for state parks.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 11-3-112(a), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the commissioner of environment and conservation has the authority to cause to be purchased and to develop the method for purchasing, without the approval of any other agency of state government, services, raw materials, merchandise for resale, supplies and equipment necessary for provision of quality services for state park operations. This section shall not be construed to allow the department to contract for services previously accomplished for the parks by state employees or for services that could reasonably be expected to be accomplished by state employees.

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

PASSED: May 10, 2004


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 24th day of May 2004


PHIL BREDEESEN, GOVERNOR