



**State of Tennessee**  
**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 443**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 840**

**By Representatives Cooper, Favors, Hardaway, Fitzhugh, Shaw, Armstrong, Camper, Parkinson, Larry Miller, Johnnie Turner**

**Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2042**

**By Senator Ford**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 41, relative to arrests.

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

SECTION 1. The administrative office of the courts is directed to study, out of existing resources, issues relating to the retention and use of old process, warrant, precept or summons authorized to be issued by any of the judges or clerks of the court, in any criminal prosecution on behalf of the state throughout the state by local law enforcement in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, § 40-6-206. The study shall make recommendations for uniform policies concerning the appropriate retirement of such old process, warrant, precept or summons. The administrative office of the courts shall report its findings and recommendations to the judiciary committees of the senate and house of representatives on or before February 1, 2012.

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

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PASSED: May 20, 2011

  
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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011

  
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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR