



**State of Tennessee**  
**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 928**

**SENATE BILL NO. 2911**

**By Berke, Barnes, Marrero , Stewart**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3262

By Camper, Parkinson, Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 20; Title 25; Title 26; Title 27; Title 29; Title 36; Title 47 and Title 67, relative to service members protected under the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 25, Chapter 3, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section thereto:

25-3-144.

If a court wrongly grants a default decision imposing an obligation for child support from or against an eligible individual protected under the federal Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. §§ 501 et seq., the court shall issue an order to the individual receiving funds that the funds shall be returned and reimbursed.

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

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PASSED: April 24, 2012



RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 2012



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR