

State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 397

SENATE BILL NO. 874

By Niceley

Substituted for: House Bill No. 934

By Matheny

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 7; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13; Title 68, Chapter 102, Part 1 and Title 68, Chapter 105, relative to explosives.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1302, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() Subsection (a) shall not apply to the possession, manufacture, transportation, repair, or sale of an explosive if:

(1) The person in question is eighteen (18) years of age or older; and

(2) The possession, manufacture, transport, repair, or sale was incident to creating or using an exploding target for lawful sporting activity, as solely intended by the commercial manufacturer.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-14-702, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() This section shall not apply to a component part of an explosive solely intended to be used in creating an exploding target for use in lawful sporting activity, when the part is possessed by a person eighteen (18) years of age or older.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-105-120, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() The use of explosive materials solely intended by the commercial manufacturer to be used to create an exploding target for use in lawful sporting activity or the use of an exploding target for its intended purpose in lawful sporting activity; provided, that the person using the explosive materials is eighteen (18) years of age or older;

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 21, 2015

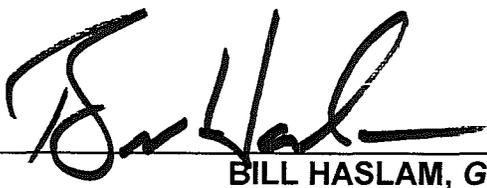


RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 21st day of MAY 2015



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR