

HOUSE BILL 3346  
By Kerr

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 23, relative to attorneys' fees in civil actions.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 23, Chapter 3, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

**Section 23-3-1\_\_.** It shall be unlawful for an attorney to take or receive a contingent fee in excess of twenty percent (20%) of the gross amount of any judgment or settlement in any civil action brought in this state.

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

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