

SENATE BILL 2583
By Herron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 41, relative to private prison contractors and certain required notifications.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 41, Chapter 24, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

Section___. The provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-16-606, shall apply to the appropriate official of a prison or facility operated by a private prison contractor when any inmate housed therein escapes from such private contractor prison or facility.

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

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