

**CHAPTER NO. 663**

**SENATE BILL NO. 2135**

**By Graves**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2212

By McDonald, Hood, Patton, Bone, Williams, Head, Davidson, Newton, Maddox,  
Fitzhugh, Godsey

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-151, relative to overtaking  
and passing a school or church bus.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-151(a), is amended by  
deleting item (5)(B) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(5)(B) It is a Class A misdemeanor punishable only by a fine of not less  
than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) nor more than one thousand dollars  
(\$1,000) for any person to fail to comply with the provision of this subsection  
requiring a motor vehicle to stop upon approaching a school bus.

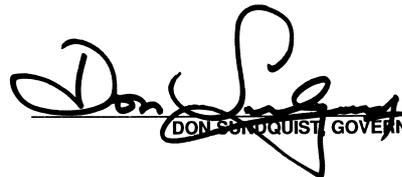
SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000, the public welfare requiring  
it.

**PASSED: April 10, 2000**

  
JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**APPROVED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April 2000**

  
DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR