

CHAPTER NO. 928

SENATE BILL NO. 2345

By Carter, Henry

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2482

By McDaniel, Sharp, Kisber

AN ACT Providing for directional signs for the "Casey Jones Centennial Celebration 1900-2000" on Interstate 40 in Madison County.

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

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Department of Transportation is directed to erect and maintain directional signs for the "Casey Jones Centennial Celebration 1900-2000" on Interstate 40 in Madison County at Exit 80A, both eastbound and westbound. Such signs shall be affixed underneath the existing Casey Jones signs posted on Interstate 40 in Madison County at Exit 80A, both eastbound and westbound.

SECTION 2. The directional signs authorized pursuant to this act shall contain the Casey Jones one-hundredth anniversary logo, shall include the phrase "Casey Jones Centennial Celebration 1900-2000" and shall be designed in consultation with the director of the Casey Jones Home and Railroad Museum.

SECTION 3. The centennial directional signs provided for in Section 1 of this act shall be posted for one (1) year from the effective date of this act. After the expiration of this period, the department shall remove the centennial directional signs posted on Interstate 40 in Madison County at Exit 80A, both eastbound and westbound.

SECTION 4. The erection of such signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

SECTION 5. This act shall become operative only if the Federal Highway Administrator advises the Commissioner of Transportation in writing that the provisions of this act shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

SECTION 6. The signs for the "Casey Jones Centennial Celebration 1900-2000" shall be erected only if the department receives adequate funds from non-state sources to defray the expense of fabricating and erecting such signs within one (1) year of the effective date of this act. Contributions may be made by any person or entity interested in such project and shall be remitted as provided by the department.

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: June 8, 2000



JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this day of 2000

DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR

Pursuant to Article III, Section 18, of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, the Governor had Senate Bill No. 2345 in his possession longer than ten (10) days, so therefore the bill becomes law without the Governor's signature.