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SENATE BILL 2886
By Burks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 2, relative to criminal homicide.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-202(a), is amended by deleting the word "or" at the end of subdivision (2); by deleting the period (.) at the end of subdivision (3) and substituting instead a semicolon (;) and the word "or"; and by adding the following language as a new subdivision to be designated as follows:

(4) A knowing killing of another committed while under the influence of any intoxicant, marijuana, narcotic drug or drug producing stimulating effects on the central nervous system.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002, the public welfare requiring it.