

HOUSE BILL 2911
By West

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 26, Chapter 2, Part 2, relative to garnishment.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 26-2-224, is amended by deleting subsection (a) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or rule to the contrary, a writ of garnishment that is filed later in time than another such writ, and which deducts the maximum amount allowable by law from the debtor's wages, shall run concurrently with the earlier filed writ with regard to the six-month time limit prescribed in § 26-2-214. Such later writ of garnishment shall begin to run upon the date of filing of the garnishment summons.

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