

SENATE BILL 3733

By Kyle

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 13,
Chapter 20, relative to housing authorities in
counties having a metropolitan form of
government.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-20-117, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

(c) Notwithstanding § 13-20-408(e) or any other provision of law to the contrary, beginning September 1, 2010, the executive director of a housing authority in any county having a metropolitan form of government and having a population in excess of five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census, shall be appointed by, and shall serve at the pleasure of, the mayor. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed as effecting any contract provisions of a person employed by the housing authority as executive director prior to September 1, 2010, except that after September 1, 2010, the mayor may remove a person previously employed by the housing authority as executive director for cause or under the provisions of an existing employment contract, if any.

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