

SENATE BILL 3902

By Kyle

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55; Title 65; Title 66 and Title 67, relative to the taxation, titling, registration, and regulation of motor vehicles.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-135, is amended by deleting the language “shall be given a grace period of fourteen (14) days” and by substituting instead the language “shall be given a grace period of thirty (30) days”.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-110, is amended by deleting subsection (a) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(a) The registration plate issued for passenger motor vehicles shall be attached to the rear of the vehicle. The registration plate issued for those trucks with a manufacturer’s ton rating not exceeding one (1) ton and having a panel or pickup body style shall be attached to the rear of the vehicle, provided that such vehicles are not specially designed or modified to allow for the towing of a pole trailer, mobile home, or house trailer. The registration plate for issued for all other trucks and truck tractors shall be attached to the front of the vehicle. The registration plate issued for all motor homes, regardless of ton rating or body style thereof, shall be attached to the rear of the vehicle. All dealers’ plates, as provided in § 55-4-221, and those registration plates issued for motorcycles, trailers or semitrailers shall be attached to the rear of the vehicle.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-3-113, is amended by adding the following language at the end of the section:

For purposes of this section, the date of the commissioner's action shall be considered the date of the letter notifying the party of such action, plus five (5) additional days thereafter.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.