

**Conference Committee Report on
House Bill No. 670 / Senate Bill No. 1141**

The House and Senate Conference Committee appointed pursuant to motions to resolve the differences between the two houses on House Bill No. 670 (Senate Bill No. 1141) has met and recommends that the following amendments be deleted: House Amendment No. 1 and Senate Amendments No. 6, 10, 11, 14, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 12, 13, 23, 24(as amended by 1 and 3), 25, 28, 29, 30, 32.

The Committee further recommends that the following amendment be adopted:

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 7, Part 1, is amended by adding a new section thereto:

§ 40-7-123.

(a) The Tennessee peace officer standards and training commission shall develop a standardized written procedure for verifying the citizenship status of individuals who are arrested, booked, or confined for any period in a county or municipal jail or detention facility and reporting to the appropriate Immigration and Customs Enforcement Detention and Removal Operations field office those individuals who may be in violation of the Immigration and Naturalization Act, as compiled in 8 U.S.C §1101 et seq.

(b) When a person is arrested, booked or confined for any period in the jail of the county or any municipality, the keeper of the jail shall utilize the above-referenced procedure to verify the citizenship status of each arrested, booked, or otherwise confined individual and report those individuals to the appropriate Immigration and Customs Enforcement Detention and Removal Operations field office if the keeper of the jail determines that the individual is in violation of the Immigration and Naturalization Act, as compiled in 8 U.S.C §1101 et seq., or if such status cannot be determined.

(c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to any county or municipality that has entered into and is operating under a memorandum of understanding with the United States department of homeland security concerning enforcement of federal immigration laws.

(d) The provisions of this section shall not apply to any county or municipality while it participates in the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Criminal Alien Program (CAP).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on January 1, 2011, the public welfare requiring it.

Senator Dolores Gresham

Representative Vance Dennis

Senator Charlotte Burks

Representative Barrett Rich

Senator Jim Tracy

Representative Eddie Bass