

HOUSE BILL 306

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 13, relative to assaultive offenses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-101(b)(1), is amended by deleting the language "under this section" and by substituting instead the language "or a health care provider acting in the discharge of the provider's duty".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-102(e)(1), is amended by adding the language "or a health care provider acting in the discharge of the provider's duty" after the language "law enforcement officer".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-101, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

() For purposes of this section and § 39-13-102, "health care provider" means any person or entity performing services regulated pursuant to title 63 or title 68, chapter 11.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013, the public welfare requiring it.