

Amendment No. 1 to SB1211

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1211

House Bill No. 873*

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-418(e), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(e) A violation of this section is a Class E felony if the person has two (2) or more prior convictions for violating this section. The enhanced penalty provided by this subsection for multiple convictions under this section shall not apply if the instant violation and prior convictions involve marijuana.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-428, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(3) and substituting instead the following:

(3) Third or subsequent conviction for a misdemeanor drug offense involving a Schedule VI controlled substance classified as marijuana or hashish.....750

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.