

HOUSE BILL 412

By Lamar

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 1,  
Chapter 3 and Title 3, Chapter 12, relative to  
proposed legislation.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-12-101(2), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(2) Prepare and assist in the preparation of proposed legislation. The office of legal services must use plain English to draft legislation. For purposes of this subdivision (2), "plain English" is as described in *The Redbook, A Manual On Legal Style, Third Edition*;

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