

HOUSE BILL 1680

By Haston

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 8, relative to the use of wireless telecommunication devices while operating a motor vehicle.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-199(d)(3), is amended by deleting the following language:

Emergency medical technicians, emergency medical technician-paramedics, and firefighters, both volunteer and career, when in the actual discharge of their official duties;

and substituting instead the following:

Emergency medical technicians, emergency medical technician-paramedics, and firefighters, both volunteer and career, when in the actual discharge of their official duties, and physicians and nurse practitioners when in the actual discharge of their official duties;

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