SENATE

ENERGY, AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2020
11:00 AM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

SOUTHERLAND (R) CHAIRMAN  AKBARI (D)  REEVES (R)
NICELEY (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN  GRESHAM (R)  ROBINSON (D)
PODY (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN  POWERS (R)  ROSE (R)

BUDGET HEARINGS

TN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

TN WILDLIFE RESOURCES AGENCY

AGENDA

1. SB 1865 *Massey (HB 1883 by *Carr, Lamberth)
   Boats, Boating- As introduced, aligns penalties for boating under the influence with the penalties for driving under the influence; clarifies that the offenses of vehicular assault, aggravated vehicular assault, vehicular homicide, and aggravated vehicular homicide may be committed by a person boating under the influence. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-106; Section 39-13-115; Section 39-13-213; Section 39-13-218 and Title 69, Chapter 9, Part 2.

2. SB 2320 *Roberts (HB 2561 by *Rudder)
   Regional Authorities and Special Districts- As introduced, repeals the Bledsoe Regional Water Authority. - Amends TCA Title 64, Chapter 1, Part 12.
3. **SB 1801** *Dickerson, Lundberg* (HB 1842 by *Carter*)
   Environment and Conservation, Department of- As introduced, reduces, from the
twenty-fifth day to the twentieth day of the month following the end of each quarter, the
time in which a new tire dealer has to provide the commissioner information about the
gross number of new tires sold at retail during the preceding quarter. - Amends TCA
Title 67, Chapter 4; Title 68 and Title 69, Chapter 3.

4. **SB 2300** *Jackson* (HB 2494 by *Van Huss*)
   Game and Fish Laws- As introduced, specifies that a sportsman's license is not required
in order to assist a person with a disability who is fishing or hunting pursuant to a
discounted license or an exemption from licensure, if certain requirements are met,
including executing a form and compliance with certain laws by the assistant. - Amends
TCA Title 70.

5. **SB 2154** *Johnson, Rose* (HB 2223 by *Lamberth, Gant, Halford*)
   Food and Food Products- As introduced, clarifies that the department of agriculture is
responsible for establishing standards that apply to certain donations of food; changes
the level of carelessness that gives rise to liability for damage caused by certain food
donors from negligence to gross negligence; makes other changes concerning food
donations. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 13.

6. **SB 2155** *Johnson, Rose* (HB 2224 by *Lamberth, Gant, Rudd*)
   Environment and Conservation, Department of- As introduced, changes due dates and
content requirements for reports that the department makes concerning permitting
efficiency, the Tire Environmental Act, solid waste disposal, and hazardous waste
management. - Amends TCA Section 4-3-506; Section 68-211-305; Section 68-212-118
and Section 68-212-212.

7. **SB 2153** *Johnson, Southerland* (HB 2222 by *Lamberth, Gant, Sparks*)
   Parks, Natural Areas Preservation- As introduced, designates Sherwood Forest in
Franklin County and Walnut Knob in Smith County as Class II natural areas. - Amends
TCA Section 11-14-108.