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House Bill _____
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 8,
relative to veterinarians who participate in health
department sponsored rabies vaccination programs.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 8, is amended by adding a
new appropriately designated subpart as follows:

() Any licensed veterinarian who provides services to vaccinate animals against
rabies, which is sponsored by a county health department or municipality in accordance
with Title 68, Chapter 8, shall not be subject to suit nor liable for any civil damages as a
result of any acts or omissions by such veterinarian arising from or related to the
supervision of the site or location where the rabies program is conducted. Such
immunity shall not extend for acts and omissions arising from or related to the rabies
vaccination service itself.

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