HOUSE BILL 2036

By Leatherwood

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13, relative to possession of firearms.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(k)

- (1) A person commits an offense who knowingly possesses a firearm or firearm ammunition, and is under indictment for a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term of one (1) year or more.
- (2) An offense under subdivision (k)(1) is a Class D felony.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect October 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.