HOUSE BILL 2735

By Hemmer

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, relative to firearms transactions.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1316, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

- (1) A person commits an offense who provides to a gun dealer or private seller of firearms what the person knows to be materially false information with intent to deceive the dealer or seller about the legality of a transfer of a firearm.
- (2) A person commits an offense who knowingly obtains a firearm for the purpose of transferring the firearm to another who is prohibited from receiving or possessing a firearm by state or federal law.
- (3) A violation of this subsection () is a Class E felony.SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.