

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 813

SENATE BILL NO. 4169

By Kyle, Jackson

Substituted for: House Bill No. 4125

**By Sontany, Odom, Fincher, Pruitt, Gilmore, Sherry Jones, Favors, Brown,
Hawk,
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4, relative to the disposition of funds.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-452, is amended by deleting the existing language in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

The respective counties shall be authorized to expend the funds generated by the increased fines provided for in Acts 1994, Ch. 948, by appropriations to any of the following:

(1) alcohol, drug, and mental health treatment facilities licensed by the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities;

(2) to metropolitan drug commissions or other similar programs sanctioned by the governor's Drug Free Tennessee program for the purposes of Acts 1994, Ch. 948;

(3) to organizations exempted from the payment of federal income taxes by the federal Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) whose primary mission is to educate the public on the dangers of illicit drug use, alcohol abuse, or the co-occurring disorder of both alcohol and drug abuse and mental illness or to render treatment for alcohol and drug addiction, or the co-occurring disorder of both alcohol and drug abuse and mental illness;

(4) to specialized court programs and specialized court dockets which supervise offenders who suffer from alcohol and drug abuse, or co-occurring disorder of both alcohol and drug abuse and mental illness;

(5) to organizations that operate drug, alcohol, or co-occurring disorder treatment programs for the homeless or indigent;

(6) to agencies or organizations for purposes of drug testing of offenders who have been placed on misdemeanor probation;

(7) for the employment of a probation officer for the purposes of supervising drug and alcohol offenders.

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

PASSED: April 14, 2008



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 25th day of April 2008



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR