

**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 761**

**SENATE BILL NO. 3030**

**By Faulk**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3103

**By Lundberg**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 26, relative to garnishments.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 26-2-203, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (d):

(d) If the service of the summons is made upon an employee of the garnishee rather than the garnishee, and such employee is also the judgment debtor, such summons is voidable by the court by reason of improper service. If the court so voids the summons for this reason, it shall not be effective as to the garnishee.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: April 1, 2010**

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**APPROVED this 14th day of April 2010**



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PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR