

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1058

HOUSE BILL NO. 2693

By Representatives Shepard, Evans, Fincher, Barker, Hardaway, Lynn, Bone, Naifeh, Pitts, Sontany, Montgomery, McDaniel, McCormick, Todd, Litz, Winningham, McDonald, Dean, Haynes, Ferguson, Hensley, Hill, White, Towns, Rich, Faulkner, Swafford, Favors, Sargent, Weaver, Eldridge, Campfield, Hackworth, Kevin Brooks, Shipley, Maddox, Curtiss, Phillip Johnson, Bass, Ty Cobb, Niceley, Fraley, Watson, Roach, Coleman, Maggart, Curtis Johnson, Brown, Harrison, Lundberg, Moore, Stewart, Ramsey, McManus, Yokley, Harry Brooks, Lollar and Mr. Speaker Williams

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2392

By Senators Jackson, Black, Finney, Burks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39 and Title 40, relative to sentencing for first degree murder.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-204(i), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

(16) The murder was committed against a pregnant woman, and the defendant intentionally killed the victim, knowing that she was pregnant.

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

PASSED: June 4, 2010



KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 21st day of June 2010



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR