

HOUSE BILL 1295

By Farmer

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-111, relative to domestic violence offenders.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-111, is amended by deleting subdivision (c)(6)(B)(i) and substituting instead the following:

(i) Sign an affidavit of firearms dispossession form and return it to the court in which the defendant was convicted when all firearms have been lawfully dispossessed as required by subdivision (c)(6)(A);

SECTION 2. The domestic violence state coordinating council, in consultation with the administrative office of the courts, shall develop an affidavit of firearms dispossession form that must be signed following a conviction for a domestic violence offense as required by § 39-13-111(c)(6)(B)(i). Upon completion, the administrative office of the courts shall post the form on its website where it can be copied by defendants or provided to them by the court or court clerk for signature upon conviction.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.