

State of ennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 119

SENATE BILL NO. 505

By Powers

Substituted for: House Bill No. 410

By Curtis Johnson, Davis

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 55, Chapter 8, relative to fines for speeding.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-152(d)(1), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

(D) A municipality may adopt an ordinance by majority vote of the municipal governing body to establish a special speed limit upon a public road, street, or highway within its jurisdiction that is adjacent to or within one-fourth (1/4) mile of a zone classified by the municipality for residential use. Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, a violation of the special speed limit established pursuant to this subdivision (d)(1)(D) is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by fine only of two hundred dollars (\$200).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED:

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March 20, 2023

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SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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APPROVED this 4th day of April 2023

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