

HOUSE BILL 2537

By Spivey

AN ACT to amend Chapter 213 of the Private Acts of 1992; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the City of South Pittsburg.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 213 of the Private Acts of 1992, and any other amendatory acts thereto, is amended by deleting Article II, Section 8 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Section 8. Style publication and passage of ordinances. The style of all city ordinances shall be: "Be it ordained by the board of mayor and commissioners of the City of South Pittsburg." Copies of the text of every ordinance shall be made available to the public during every meeting in which the ordinance is subject to a reading.

Each ordinance shall be read and passed on two (2) separate days before the same is operative. Each ordinance shall receive a public hearing prior to its second and final reading.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of the City of South Pittsburg. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.