SENATE BILL 1770

By Beavers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2; Title 63 and Title 68, Chapter 11, relative to abortions after twenty weeks of pregnancy.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-15-201(c)(2), is amended by deleting the language "After three (3) months, but before viability of the fetus," and substituting instead the language "After three (3) months, but before twenty (20) weeks of pregnancy or viability of the fetus,".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-15-201(c)(3), is amended by deleting the language "During viability of the fetus" and substituting instead the language "After twenty weeks of pregnancy or during viability of the fetus,".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.