

SENATE BILL 1917

By Niceley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39  
and Title 40, Chapter 6, Part 3, relative to unlawful  
recordings.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-601, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(5) and substituting instead the following:

(5) It is lawful under §§ 39-13-601 - 39-13-603 and title 40, chapter 6, part 3 for a person not acting under color of law to intercept a wire, oral, or electronic communication, where the person is a party to the communication and where all of the parties to the communication have given consent to the interception, unless the communication is intercepted for the purpose of committing any criminal or tortious act in violation of the constitution or laws of the state of Tennessee.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.