HOUSE BILL 139

By Gilmore

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 1 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13, relative to possession of stolen firearms.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

- (a) A person commits an offense who intentionally possesses a firearm that the person knows or reasonably should know is stolen.
 - (b) A violation of this section is a Class E felony.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015, the public welfare requiring it.