

HOUSE BILL 1224

By Potts

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6; Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13 and Title 40, relative to firearms.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-111(c)(6)(B), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(i) Complete an affidavit of firearms dispossession form and return it to the court in which the defendant was convicted when all firearms have been lawfully dispossessed as required by subdivision (c)(6)(A);

(ii) If the defendant transfers possession to a third party who is not prohibited from possessing firearms, have the third party complete and return to the court an affidavit certifying that the third party is not prohibited from possessing firearms, acknowledges receipt of firearms from the defendant, and accepts their responsibility under this section; and

(iii) Obtain the affidavit of dispossession form or forms from the court or court clerk or from the website of the administrative office of the courts.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.