

Amendment No. 1 to HB0190

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Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1179

House Bill No. 190*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1359, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(1) and substituting:

(1) Notice of the prohibition or restriction permitted by subsection (a) shall be accomplished by displaying the notice described in subdivision (b)(3) in prominent locations, including no more than three feet (3') from all entrances primarily used by persons entering the property, building, or portion of the property or building where weapon possession is prohibited or restricted. The notice must be plainly visible to the average person entering the building, property, or portion of the building or property, posted, and must be mounted or placed such that the center of the sign is between sixty inches (60") and seventy-two inches (72") from the ground.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1359, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(3)(A) and substituting:

(A) A sign shall be used as the method of posting. Each sign must:

(i) Measure at least ten inches (10") tall and fourteen inches (14") wide;

and

(ii) Have a white background and black lettering.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1359, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(4) and substituting:

An individual, corporation, business entity, or government entity that, as of July 1, 2023, used signs to provide notice of the prohibition permitted by subsection (a) has until

July 1, 2024, to replace existing signs with signs that meet the requirements of subdivision (b)(3).

SECTION 4. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.