

SENATE BILL 1955

By Gresham

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1306, relative to carrying weapons during judicial proceedings.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1306, is amended by deleting subdivision (c)(3) and substituting instead the following:

(3) Is in the actual discharge of official duties as a judge, and:

(A) Is authorized to carry a handgun pursuant to § 39-17-1351;

(B) Keeps the handgun concealed at all times when in the discharge of such duties; and

(C) Is vested with judicial powers under § 16-1-101.

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