

HOUSE BILL 1458

By Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-103, relative to the reckless discharge of a firearm from a motor vehicle.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-103(b)(3), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(3) Reckless endangerment is a Class C felony if committed by discharging a firearm:

(A) Into a habitation, as defined under § 39-14-401, unless the habitation was unoccupied at the time of the offense, in which event it is a Class D felony;
or

(B) From within a motor vehicle, as defined by § 55-1-103. Each person who was endangered by a violation of this subdivision (b)(3)(B) constitutes a separate offense;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.