

SENATE BILL 1438

By Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13, relative to the transfer, ownership, possession and transportation of certain knives.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1301, is amended by deleting subdivision (17).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1302, is amended by deleting subdivision (a)(7) and substituting instead the following:

(7) Knuckles; or

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1303, is amended by deleting subdivision (a)(1) and substituting instead the following:

(1) Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly sells, loans or makes a gift of a firearm to a minor;

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by deleting subdivision (a)(1) and substituting instead the following:

(1) A person commits an offense who carries with the intent to go armed a firearm or a club.

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1364, is amended by deleting from subdivision (2) the language “; provided that it is not a switchblade knife”.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.