

**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 1131**

**SENATE BILL NO. 3538**

**By Overbey**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3230

By McCord

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4; Title 54 and Title 69, relative to the Little River in Blount County, Tennessee.

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

SECTION 1. The Department of Transportation, in consultation with the Department of Environment and Conservation, is directed to conduct a study relative to recurring flooding near the Sunshine Community in Blount County, Tennessee, caused by clearing a landslide from the highway running parallel to the Little River into such river. Such study shall include, but not be limited to, identifying ways and means to remove boulders displaced into the river during the clearing process. The department shall report the findings of such study to the Transportation Committees of the House of Representatives and the Senate no later than January 15, 2011.

SECTION 2. The Department of Transportation shall identify all available federal funding to prevent further flooding in the Sunshine Community as part of such study.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: June 9, 2010**

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**APPROVED this 29th day of June 2010**



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PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR