

# State of Tennessee PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 660

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 2768**

## By Representative Keisling

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2645

## By Senator Yager

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, Chapter 8, Part 2, relative to wild ginseng harvesting.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-8-204, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

( ) It is unlawful for any person to knowingly dig, harvest, collect or remove wild ginseng from any land that such person does not own, on any date not within the wild ginseng harvest season established by § 70-8-203.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, the public welfare requiring it.

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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

RON RAMSEY SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 4th day of April 2012

BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR

PASSED: MARCH 22, 2012