



# State of Tennessee

## PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 422

HOUSE BILL NO. 516

By Representatives Timothy Hill, Littleton, Whitson, Helton, Moon

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 862

By Senator Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, relative to domestic abuse.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-113, is amended by deleting subsection (g) in its entirety and substituting the following:

(g) A violation of this section is a Class A misdemeanor. Notwithstanding § 40-35-111(e)(1), a violation of this section is punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) nor more than two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), and any sentence of incarceration imposed shall be served consecutively to the sentence for any other offense that is based in whole or in part on the same factual allegations. However, the sentencing judge or magistrate may specifically order the sentences for the offenses arising out of the same facts to be served concurrently.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 30, 2019



GLEN CASADA, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RANDY MCNALLY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 2019



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR