

HOUSE BILL 247

By Tillis

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-1-401, relative to daylight saving time.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-1-401, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(d) On and after the effective date of this act, this state shall observe the advancement of time provided in 15 U.S.C. § 260a at all times throughout the year, and daylight saving time will be the standard time of the entire state and all of its political subdivisions.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on the first Sunday of November following the date on which the United States Congress amends or repeals 15 U.S.C. § 260a to authorize states to observe daylight saving time year-round, the public welfare requiring it. The commissioner of transportation shall monitor legislation relating to 15 U.S.C. § 260a and shall certify in writing to the executive secretary of the Tennessee code commission the date of the legislation authorizing states to observe daylight saving time year-round.