

2018 New Laws (Passed Legislation) as of 5/30

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| 10 | 15 | Green | Goins | Exemption - vehicles sold to disabled veteran or service member. Sales tax exemption only applies to the price of the vehicle that is in excess of the amount of the USDVA automobile grant received. | 3/05/2018 | PC541 |
| 1645 | 1529 | Harris | Parkinson | Service of process for juvenile court proceedings may be completed by any individual authorized to serve process under the Rules of Civil Procedure or the Rules of Juvenile Procedure, including, but not limited to, a sheriff, constable, or private process server. | 3/07/2018 | PC535 |
| 1721 | 1721 | Bowling | Rogers | Permits a stay of driver license revocation for nonpayment of fines and costs for more than the current 180 days if the applicant for the stay is a participant in a recovery court. | 3/07/2018 | PC538 |
| 1047 | 944 | Bowling | Goins | Enacts the Contract Accountability and Responsible Employment (CARE) Act. List of all state contracts and grants. | 3/09/2018 | PC544 |
| 1504 | 1479 | Briggs | Dunn | Suspension of court costs for indigent defendants. | 3/09/2018 | PC542 |
| 2118 | 2103 | Stevens | Carter | Definition of a non-violent property offense. | 3/09/2018 | PC549 |
| 2384 | 2187 | Lundberg | Lamberth | Prohibits driver license revocation for unpaid jail fees. | 3/16/2018 | PC579 |
| 1718 | 1795 | Stevens | Farmer | As enacted, adds community mental health centers to definition of healthcare organization in order to add them to quality improvement committees. | 3/22/2018 | PC593 |
| 1643 | 1675 | Massey | Farmer | Redefines certain consequences of conviction from the federal law domestic abuse definition to both the federal and Tennessee law definitions. | 3/23/2018 | PC596 |
| 1910 | 1851 | Nicely | Towns | Prevents a municipality from charging a person with a violation prohibiting discharging a firearm within the municipal limits if the person acted in justifiable self-defense, etc. | 3/23/2018 | PC599 |
| 1495 | 1489 | Haile | Hazlewood | Use of tanning devices by minors prohibited. | 4/02/2018 | PC608 |
| 1500 | 1939 | Stevens | Ragan | Allows county commissioner in the actual discharge of the commissioner's duties who has a valid handgun carry permit to carry in buildings in certain circumstances. | 4/02/2018 | PC609 |
| 1510 | 2164 | Massey | Moody | Family life curriculum - child sexual abuse prevention instruction. | 4/02/2018 | PC609 |
| 1870 | 1949 | Lundberg | Casada | Allows cause of action for any affected person who seeks declaratory and injunctive relief in any action brought regarding the legality or constitutionality of a governmental action, but such action does not include damages. | 4/02/2018 | PC621 |
| 2351 | 2642 | Swann | Casada | Display lighting on ride share vehicles. | 4/02/2018 | PC645 |
| 1587 | 1566 | Bell | Howell | Requirements for lifetime handgun carry permit for retired law enforcement officers. | 4/09/2018 | PC690 |
| 1977 | 2180 | Dickerson | Hazlewood | Needle and hypodermic syringe exchange program. | 4/09/2018 | PC649 |
| 2098 | 1994 | Dickerson | Sparks | Offense of trafficking or possessing a live skunk. | 4/09/2018 | PC652 |
| 272 | 222 | Pody | Ragan | Drivers license for non-citizens and aliens. | 4/12/2018 | PC665 |

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| 1655 | 1667 | Stevens | Lamberth | Service of process - repossession of landlord's property. | 4/12/2018 | PC670 |
| 1724 | 1608 | Bell | Matlock | Requires, by January 1, 2019, state governmental entities to promulgate rules for making requests to inspect or receive copies of public records | 4/12/2018 | PC712 |
| 1757 | 2560 | Johnson | Butt | Determination of death by medical examiner - cases of suicide. | 4/12/2018 | PC714 |
| 1828 | 1875 | Southerland | Reedy | Feeding industrial hemp to animals. | 4/12/2018 | PC673 |
| 2099 | 2002 | Dickerson | Terry | Permits the direct administration of buprenorphine mono or buprenorphine without the use of naloxone as a treatment for substance use disorder under certain circumstances. | 4/12/2018 | PC674 |
| 1596 | 2527 | Yager | Calfee | Purchase of motor vehicles by local governments. | 4/18/2018 | PC724 |
| 1796 | 2033 | Ketron | Coley | Wireless telephone service for victims of domestic violence. | 4/18/2018 | PC729 |
| 2518 | 1540 | Ketron | McCormick | Permits alcoholic beverages to be sold at package stores. Opens liquor stores on Sundays, excluding certain holidays (July 1). Allows wine to be sold on Sunday in retail stores starting January 1, 2019 (10am-11pm). | 4/20/2018 7/01/2018 1/01/2019 | PC783 |
| 1133 | 849 | Kyle | Hardaway | Domestic assault fines to pay for GPS monitoring for indigent defendants. | 4/24/2018 | PC827 |
| 2369 | 2370 | Crowe | VanHuss | Concealed carry of handguns by permit holders on certain property allowed. | 4/24/2018 | PC823 |
| 2504 | 2279 | Ketron | Lamberth | Competitive Wireless Broadband Investment, Deployment, and Safety Act of 2018. | 4/24/2018 | PC819 |
| 2538 | 2536 | Ketron | Sparks | Study of limitation on prosecution for criminal offenses. | 4/26/2018 | PC849 |
| 2698 | 1710 | Bailey | Doss | Law enforcement notification regarding towing of vehicle. | 4/26/2018 | PC850 |
| 647 | 1083 | Nicely | Sexton J. | Community corrections officers who hold a valid Tennessee handgun permit. | 4/27/2018 | PC828 |
| 1971 | 1772 | Massey | Dunn | Streamlines process for certain public officials to contest liens on real property lacking legal basis. | 5/01/2018 | PC913 |
| 1227 | 901 | Massey | Kumar | Requires the bureau of TennCare to promulgate rules to promote the safe and responsible coverage of opioids. | 5/03/2018 | PC864 |
| 2054 | 2141 | Crowe | Hill | Revises provisions governing in-service hours for constables. | 5/03/2018 | PC889 |
| 2117 | 2195 | Nicely | Goins | Prohibits local government restrictions on flag displays. | 5/03/2018 | PC857 |
| 2152 | 2287 | Bell | Ramsey | Revises the reviewing and reporting duties of the open records counsel. | 5/03/2018 | PC897 |
| 2191 | 1993 | Lundberg | Gant | Study regarding use of electronic prescriptions for controlled substances. | 5/03/2018 | PC883 |
| 2609 | 2550 | Gresham | White D. | Elective firearm safety education course for high school students. | 5/03/2018 | PC906 |
| 2677 | 2325 | Bailey | Keisling | Salary compensation for DA's and PD's office. | 5/03/2018 | PC899 |
| 2328 | 2613 | Kyle | Mitchell | Non-disclosure agreement with respect to sexual harassment in the workplace. | 5/15/2018 | PC965 |
| 2405 | 2606 | Kyle | Hardaway | Requires department of children's services to develop instruction guidelines for child safety programs. | 5/15/2018 | PC964 |
| 2426 | 2523 | Harper | Beck | Settlement agreement provisions that conceal claims of child sexual abuse. | 5/15/2018 | PC962 |

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| 105 | 259 | Bell | Faison | Sunset - Tennessee health information committee. | 5/16/2018 | PC968 |
| 5 | 10 | Green | Johnson | Additional trial districts for 16th, 19th, and 21st judicial districts. | 5/21/2018 | PC974 |
| 200 | 294 | Swann | Williams | Aggravated stalking offense when victim is under 12 years of age. | 5/21/2018 | PC975 |
| 777 | 717 | Jackson | Johnson | Reporting requirements established in effort to discover impact and reduce abuse of opioids. | 5/21/2018 | PC978 |
| 1302 | 1337 | Harris | Hardaway | Development of instructional guidelines for child safety training programs. | 5/21/2018 | PC983 |
| 1583 | 1565 | Bell | Howell | POST commission - appointment process for vacant citizen member positions. | 5/21/2018 | PC989 |
| 1935 | 2025 | Kelsey | Farmer | Safe at home address confidentiality program. Requires the secretary of state to establish a crime victim address confidentiality program for victims of domestic abuse, stalking, human trafficking, and sexual offenses; establishes how a substitute address may be used by a program participant in lieu of a confidential address. | 5/21/2018 | PC1004 |
| 2025 | 2440 | Haile | Terry | Prescriptions for controlled substances - partial fill allowed. | 5/21/2018 | PC1007 |
| 2059 | 2129 | Green | Vanhus | School Safety Act/Off-Duty Officer Security. | 5/21/2018 | PC1008 |
| 2257 | 1831 | Norris | Hawk | Requirements for prescribing, dispensing, and reporting of opioids. | 5/21/2018 | PC1039 |
| 1974 | 1959 | Stevens | Lamberth | Drug chemistry funds from TBI to general fund. | 5/23/2018 | PC1044 |
| 2095 | 2510 | Dickerson | Favors | Study prescribing of buprenorphine by certain nurse practitioners. | 5/23/2018 | PC1059 |
| 2204 | 1926 | Swann | Rudd | Fee charged for releasing of a lien. | 5/23/2018 | PC1042 |
| 2333 | 2312 | Green | Lamberth | Forms of identification accepted by public employees. Consular ID prohibited. | 5/23/2018 | PC1053 |
| 2630 | 2626 | Norris | Turner | Obtaining of TBI records by General Assembly, 1938-1975 for unsolved civil rights cases. | 5/23/2018 | PC1060 |
| 41 | 3 | Southerland | Goins | Licensed clinical social workers exempt from subpoena to trial. | 7/01/2018 | PC851 |
| 280 | 149 | Lundberg | Hazlewood | Prohibits a person charged with incest from participating in judicial diversion. | 7/01/2018 | PC951 |
| 488 | 1140 | Johnson | Brooks | Creates the delinquent act of illegal use of a communications device by a minor. | 7/01/2018 | PC866 |
| 727 | 1263 | Kelsey | Towns | Electronic formats for motor vehicle documentation. | 7/01/2018 | PC606 |
| 834 | 958 | Haile | Farmer | Mental Health Patients - purchase of firearms. | 7/01/2018 | PC799 |
| 912 | 836 | Bell | DeBerry | New drivers license for victim of identity theft. | 7/01/2018 | PC800 |
| 949 | 1028 | Kelsey | Deberry | Revises the punishment for the assaultive offenses regarding correctional officers, etc. | 7/01/2018 | PC925 |
| 1512 | 2192 | Massey | Littleton | Requires law enforcement agency to ask whenever a person is arrested and taken into custody if any children will be left unattended by the person's arrest. | 7/01/2018 | PC801 |
| 1575 | 2106 | Yager | Travis | Reporting of prisoners who have escaped while on work detail. | 7/01/2018 | PC1045 |
| 1593 | 1480 | Yager | Lamberth | Admissibility of evidence - statements from children in regard to sexual or physical abuse. | 7/01/2018 | PC708 |
| 1601 | 1793 | Yager | Carter | Creates an Abusive Civil Action Offender registry. | 7/01/2018 | PC872 |
| 1602 | 1543 | Yager | Lamberth | Revises requirements for bounty hunters. | 7/01/2018 | PC826 |

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| 1656 | 1849 | Stevens | Moody | Revises provisions governing the confidentiality of records maintained by shelters, centers, and human trafficking service providers. | 7/01/2018 | PC613 |
| 1717 | 1722 | Briggs | Zachary | Organized Retail Theft | 7/01/2018 | PC993 |
| 1735 | 1719 | Kelsey | Lamberth | Requires that upon a finding that the arrested person is a safety threat to the alleged victim, the magistrate impose conditions of bail designed to protect the alleged victim. | 7/01/2018 | PC586 |
| 1787 | 2190 | Lundberg | Littleton | Distribution or unlawful delivery or unlawful dispensation of fentanyl or carfentanil elevated to second degree murder. | 7/01/2018 | PC995 |
| 1797 | 1510 | Ketron | Whitson | Tennessee Public Safety Behavioral Health Act. Requires firefighters employers to provide a mental health service provider for the purpose of treating PTSD through the employee's health benefits or otherwise. | 7/01/2018 | PC997 |
| 1832 | 1683 | Southerland | Alexander | Broadens the definitions of "all-terrain vehicle" and "Class 1 off-highway vehicle" to include vehicles less than 2,500 pounds, etc. | 7/01/2018 | PC585 |
| 1865 | 2181 | Jackson | Wirgau | Requires the department of correction to make four \$250,000 grants to local county sheriff or probation departments to fund reentry programs that reduce recidivism and probation revocations. | 7/01/2018 | PC1051 |
| 1875 | 1936 | Massey | Zachary | Henry's Law - Requires that any convicted person of second degree murder for the death of a minor caused by the unlawful distribution of schedule I or II drugs. | 7/01/2018 | PC934 |
| 1877 | 2143 | Green | Hill | Comptroller to audit use of civil asset forfeiture proceeds by local law enforcement agencies and judicial district drug task forces during regular audit of local government. | 7/01/2018 | PC999 |
| 1915 | 1883 | Nicely | Kane | Restores the applicable amount of tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) under the research exemption to the present law level of "less than 0.6 percent". | 7/01/2018 | PC1041 |
| 1920 | 1947 | Johnson | Casada | Redefines playground for purposes of sexual offender restrictions. | 7/01/2018 | PC643 |
| 1944 | 2092 | Bowling | Curcio | Classifies offense of continuous sexual abuse of a child as a violent sexual offense for purposes of the Tennessee Sexual Offender and Violent Sexual Offender Registration, Verification and Tracking Act of 2004; revises the sentencing requirement for a person convicted of continuous sexual abuse of a child. | 7/01/2018 | PC719 |
| 1993 | 2256 | Johnson | Curcio | Use of drones to capture images in relation to law enforcement. | 7/01/2018 | PC970 |
| 2006 | 2039 | Tate | Deberry | Requires bounty hunters to wear clothing that clearly identifies the person as a bounty hunter. | 7/01/2018 | PC885 |
| 2023 | 2065 | Haile | Vaughan | Drivers who are deaf or hard of hearing designation on drivers license. | 7/01/2018 | PC735 |
| 2030 | 2130 | Green | VanHuss | Offense of criminal impersonation of a member or veteran of uniformed service. | 7/01/2018 | PC914 |
| 2063 | 2024 | Briggs | Farmer | Allows Knox County pilot project statewide that allows indigent criminal defendants to pay their court costs through public service hours. | 7/01/2018 | PC884 |

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| 2192 | 2006 | Lundberg | Pitts | Hiring preference for veterans. | 7/01/2018 | PC771 |
| 2235 | 1811 | Norris | Hawk | Electronic victim notification system. | 7/01/2018 | PC598 |
| 2253 | 1828 | Norris | Hawk | Vehicles equipped with ignition interlock device. | 7/01/2018 | PC577 |
| 2258 | 1832 | Norris | Hawk | Scheduling of controlled substances and their analogues and derivatives minus Kratom. | 7/01/2018 | PC1040 |
| 2261 | 2271 | Norris | Hawk | Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 2018. Revises specific provisions of state law and are enacted at different times. | 7/01/2018 | PC1052 |
| 2313 | 2323 | Southerland | Goins | Sexual offenders residential restrictions. | 7/01/2018 | PC898 |
| 2316 | 2464 | Southerland | Goins | Revises crime of violence offenses, etc. for handgun permits. | 7/01/2018 | PC903 |
| 2359 | 2675 | Yarbro | Fitzhugh | Authorizes needle and hypodermic syringe exchange program. | 7/01/2018 | PC945 |
| 2361 | 2220 | Hensley | Sexton C. | Report on the implementation of the Tennessee Prescription Safety Act of 2016. | 7/01/2018 | PC893 |
| 2362 | 2219 | Crowe | Sexton | Mental health reporting by hospitals to law enforcement. | 7/01/2018 | PC1015 |
| 2505 | 2032 | Ketron | Coley | Offenses eligible for expunction. | 7/01/2018 | PC1018 |
| 2517 | 1930 | Ketron | Coley | Offense of promoting prostitution. | 7/01/2018 | PC1019 |
| 2526 | 2450 | Ketron | Goins | Metro Nashville PD Crime Lab added to statute. | 7/01/2018 | PC961 |
| 2583 | 1597 | Hensley | Butt | Creates offense for selling or manufacturing counterfeit airbags and similar restraint system components. | 7/01/2018 | PC748 |
| 2626 | 1862 | Norris | Akbari | Reduces expunction fee to \$180 for defendant due to completion of pretrial diversion program. | 7/01/2018 | PC876 |
| 2674 | 2348 | Bailey | Williams | Prescribing of opioids to non-pregnant women of child-bearing age. | 7/01/2018 | PC901 |
| 2693 | 1521 | Bailey | Doss | Report on status of computerized titling and registration system for motor vehicles. | 7/01/2018 | PC1023 |
| 2705 | 2691 | Bowling | Alexander | Juveniles found guilty of a charge relating to a homicide. | 7/01/2018 | PC1025 |
| 2621 | 2159 | Norris | Keisling | Elderly and Vulnerable Adult Protection Act of 2018. | 1/01/2019 | PC1050 |
| 1499 | 1786 | Stevens | Farmer | Requires a state control number on R-84 Disposition Cards are attached to arresting documents. | 1/01/2019 | PC824 |
| 1694 | 1515 | Lundberg | Hulsey | Increases, the minimum property damage threshold from \$400 to \$1,500 for which a motor vehicle accident requires a written report to be filed with the department of safety and increases, from \$500 to \$1,500, the property damage threshold differentiating a Class B misdemeanor from a Class A misdemeanor for the offense of leaving the scene of an accident. | 1/01/2019 | PC555 |
| 1987 | 2021 | Gardenhire | Carter | Revises laws governing civil asset forfeiture. | 1/01/2019 | PC772 |

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| 2022 | 2004 | Haile | Terry | Requires the department to accept allegations of opioid abuse or diversion and to publicize a means of reporting allegations of such; prohibits civil liability for or firing of a person who reports suspected abuse or diversion. | 1/01/2019 | PC675 |
| 2332 | 2315 | Green | Reedy | Adoption of sanctuary city policies prohibited with specific requirements. | 1/01/2019 | PC973 |
| 2518 | 1540 | Ketron | McCormick | Permits alcoholic beverages to be sold at package stores. Opens liquor stores on Sundays, excluding certain holidays (July 1). Allows wine to be sold on Sunday in retail stores starting January 1, 2019 (10am-11pm). | 4/20/2018 7/01/2018 1/01/2019 | PC783 |
| 1109 | 1110 | Kyle | Deberry | Special designation on driver and photo identification licenses for persons with developmental disabilities. | 7/01/2019 | PC981 |
| SJR492 | | Yager | | Contraband cell phones in prisons. | Signed | |
| SJR563 | | Bailey | | Police Week. May 13-19, 2018, as "Police Week" and May 15, 2018, as "Peace Officers Memorial Day" | Signed | |
| SR13 | | Kelsey | | Ratifies and approves Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure. | Signed | |
| SR14 | | Kelsey | | Ratifies and approves Tennessee Rules of Evidence. | Signed | |
| SR15 | | Kelsey | | Ratifies and approves Tennessee Rules of Juvenile Procedure. | Signed | |
| SR16 | | Kelsey | | Ratifies and approves Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure. | Signed | |
| SR17 | | Kelsey | | Ratifies and approves Tennessee Rules of Criminal Procedure. | Signed | |
| SR136 | | McNally | | TN POST Commission confirmation of appointment - Lowell Russell. | Signed | |
| HJR600 | | | Dunn | Urges the FDA to consider making Naloxone an over-the-counter medication. | Signed | |