Amendment No. 11 to HB0786

<u>Dixie</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 765

House Bill No. 786*

by deleting the amendatory language of SECTION 1 and substituting instead the following:

(g) It is an exception to the application of subsection (a) that a person is carrying, whether openly or concealed, a firearm and the person lawfully possesses the firearm.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the section immediately preceding the last section and substituting:

SECTION ____. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

() A person who carries a firearm pursuant to subsection (g) is entitled to the same defenses and exceptions as a person who has been issued an enhanced handgun carry permit pursuant to § 39-17-1351, for purposes of any offenses in this part; title 50, chapter 3; or title 70.