### **CHAPTER NO. 205**

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 1412**

# By Representatives Buck, Curtiss, Ford, Head, Kisber

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1690

## By Senators Haun, Atchley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated Title 12 Chapter 4, relative to contracts entered into by the department of transportation.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 12-4-109(b), is amended by adding the following new language at the end of the subsection:

This section also does not apply to contracts for appraisal, relocation or acquisition services related to the acquisition of land that are entered into by the department of transportation pursuant to the provisions of title 54, chapter 5; provided, that the department of transportation will enter into such contracts utilizing the same procedures it utilizes for contracting for engineering services.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 7, 2001

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

> JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

DON SUNDQUIST GOVERNOR

APPROVED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 2001