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# LET FREEDOM ROLL!!

**CMT/ABATE, INC.** HAS NEGOTIATED A FREEDOM OF CHOICE BILL IN THE TN LEGISLATURE REGARDING THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE TO WEAR A HELMET ON MOTORCYCLES FOR ADULTS .

## HB 903, SB 1536

SUCCESS IS VERY LIKELY, BUT ONLY IF YOU WORK TO MAKE IT A VICTORY.

THE ONLY WAY THE LEGISLATIVE TEAM OF CMT/ABATE, INC CAN SECURE VICTORY OF THIS LEGISLATION, IS TO HAVE **GRASSROOTS DEDICATION AND ACTION**.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE A MEMBER TO HELP. YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A MOTORCYCLIST.

YOU DO NEED TO BELIEVE IN FREEDOM OF CHOICE.

YOU DO NEED TO BELIEVE THAT THE CITIZENS OF THE GREAT STATE OF TENNESSEE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

THE LEGISLATION THAT HAS BEEN FILED IN THE TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY HAS A MAJOR DIFFERENCE THIS TIME AROUND. THERE IS **NO FISCAL NOTE.** That means that it is not required to go through the "black hole" finance committee in the House of Representatives or Senate. No fiscal note means there is no cost to the State of Tennessee to make this change in law.

## This is a SAFETY BILL

One of the conditions included in the bill makes it a **SECONDARY** offense to stop someone for reasons of concern with the compliance with the new law. Thus, it will encourage riders who exercise their **freedom of choice** to ride without a helmet to be more cautious in their riding—ie: no speeding, or other law infractions. The number one cause of death in motorcycle accidents is impaired riding. **DON'T RIDE FRIED!** 

### CALL YOUR STATE REPRESENTATIVE AND SENATOR TODAY!

**You** can find all the information on this bill and the phone numbers and/or emails of your legislators at **www.capitol.tn.gov**. There is a search engine on the home page--find your legislator by typing in your address. Easy. You can look for the bill by the numbers.

#### HB 903 and SB 1563

Take five minutes to explain why you support the legislation and ask the legislator to sign on as a cosponsor. The more cosponsors, the better the chance of passage. Email our legislative director of the outcome of your contact. Thank you for helping to secure **Freedom of Choice**.