Suggested State Information for Tennessee

1. Major Law Libraries

Knoxville

Lincoln Memorial University
Duncan School of Law – Law Library
601 W Summit Hill Drive
Knoxville, TN 37902
(865) 545-5300

University of Tennessee
Joel A. Katz Law Library
1505 W. Cumberland Avenue
Knoxville, TN 37916
(865) 974-7419

Memphis

Shelby County Law Library
140 Adams Avenue, Suite 334
Courthouse
Memphis, TN 38103
(901) 495-1357

University of Memphis
Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
One North Front Street
Memphis, TN 38103-2189
(901) 678-2426

Nashville

Belmont University College of Law Library
Randall and Sadie Baskin Center
1900 Belmont Blvd
Nashville, TN 37212
(615) 460-8261

Vanderbilt University
Alyne Queener Massey Law Library
131 21st Ave S
Nashville, TN 37203-5724
(615) 322-2568

2. Tennessee Constitution
The Tennessee Constitution may be found in either print version of the *Tennessee Code Annotated*. It may also be found online at: [http://www.state.tn.us/sos/bluebook/05-06/46-tnconst.pdf](http://www.state.tn.us/sos/bluebook/05-06/46-tnconst.pdf).

3. State Code

4. State Bills and Legislative History Resources
Current and recent bills (since 1995) may be found online at: [http://www.legislature.state.tn.us/](http://www.legislature.state.tn.us/). The contact information for the Tennessee State Library and Archives Legislative History staff may be found at: [http://www.tennessee.gov/tsla/legislative.htm](http://www.tennessee.gov/tsla/legislative.htm).

5. State Administrative Code
Both the *Official Compilation, Rules & Regulations of the State of Tennessee* and the *Tennessee Administrative Register* may be found online at: [http://state.tn.us/sos/rules/index.htm](http://state.tn.us/sos/rules/index.htm).

6. Municipal Codes
Links to Tennessee municipal codes can be found at: [https://www.municode.com/](https://www.municode.com/) and [http://www.mtas.tennessee.edu/web2012.nsf/View+Codes](http://www.mtas.tennessee.edu/web2012.nsf/View+Codes).

7. State Jury Instructions:

8. Court Rules
*Tennessee Rules of Court*, a three volume set published annually by Thomson Reuters, contains state, federal, and local court rules. Court rules may also be found online at: [http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/courts/rules](http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/courts/rules).

9. State Form Books
*Tennessee Forms*, a four volume set published by Lexis, contains forms for civil, criminal, and commercial practice.

*Tennessee Practice*, a 27-volume set published by Thomson Reuters, contains numerous forms covering a variety of topics.

*Tennessee Legal & Business Forms*, a four volume loose-leaf set published by Thomson West, contains forms for business enterprises, contracts, real estate transactions, and estate planning.

10. State Legal Encyclopedia
11. State Court Opinions (case law)
West’s *Tennessee Decisions* contains cases decided in the Tennessee Supreme Court (1886 to date), Tennessee Court of Appeals (1932 to date), and Tennessee Court of Criminal Appeals (1967 to date). Tennessee cases can also be found in West’s *South Western Reporter*. Tennessee opinions may be found online at the Tennessee State Courts website: [http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/citizens](http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/citizens) and on Findlaw.com: [http://www.findlaw.com/casecode/tennessee.html](http://www.findlaw.com/casecode/tennessee.html).

12. State Digest:
West’s *Tennessee Digest* can be used to find Tennessee court opinions.

13. Local AALL Chapter
Tennessee law libraries are in the Southeastern Chapter of the Association of Law Libraries (SEALL). Information on membership and publications can be found at: [http://www.aallnet.org/chapter/seaall/index.html](http://www.aallnet.org/chapter/seaall/index.html).

14. Lawyer Referral Services
Contact information for Tennessee Lawyer Referral Programs may be found at: [http://www.tba.org/info/find-an-attorney](http://www.tba.org/info/find-an-attorney).

15. Resources for Self-Represented Litigants
A list of various resources for pro se litigants may be found at: [http://justiceforalltn.org/content/pro-se-guide](http://justiceforalltn.org/content/pro-se-guide).

16. Federal Depository Libraries

17. Bar Association Information
The Tennessee Bar Association website may be found at: [www.tba.org](http://www.tba.org).
The Chattanooga Bar Association website may be found at: [www.chattbar.org](http://www.chattbar.org).
The Knoxville Bar Association website may be found at: [www.knoxbar.org](http://www.knoxbar.org).
The Memphis Bar Association website may be found at: [http://memphisbar.org](http://memphisbar.org).
The Nashville Bar Association website may be found at: [www.nashvillebar.org](http://www.nashvillebar.org).

18. Research Guides to Tennessee Law

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