

The firm filed a pro bono suit challenging the constitutionality of the proposed "English-only charter amendment."
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Tennessee: Veto of 'English Only' Measure

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Mayor Bill Purcell vetoed a measure that would have made English the official language of Nashville, saying it was unconstitutional, unnecessary and mean-spirited. The measure, which was passed 23 to 14 last week by the Metro Council, required all government documents to be in English, except when multilingual communications were required by federal rules or were needed "to protect or promote public health, safety or welfare." It would take 27 council votes to override the veto.

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