

HOUSE BILL 2616  
By DuBois

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 1; Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 5 and Title 71, Chapter 5, relative to child welfare agencies.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-511, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

(g) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, after receiving recommendations from the standards committee and prior to implementing any permanent modifications to existing standards, the commissioner must present the proposed modifications to the government operations committee of the senate and the government operations committee of the house of representatives for review and comment.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.