

Amendment No. 4 to HB2446

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Signature of Sponsor**

AMEND Senate Bill No. 2418

House Bill No. 2446*

By deleting all of the language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-108, is amended in subsection (a) by deleting in its entirety the second sentence and by substituting instead the following:

The legislation shall first be referred to the appropriate standing committee of each house and if recommended for passage by such standing committee shall then be referred to the government operations committee of each house. The government operations committee shall review and refer the bill with a positive, negative or neutral recommendation after examining the elements of the bill for which the committee has authority. Nothing in this section shall be construed to authorize the government operations committee to prevent consideration of such legislation by the appropriate house.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-208, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(f) The provisions of this section shall not apply to initial licensure or certification by any profession, occupation or business. A rule-making hearing shall be held before rules for the initial licensure or certification of a profession, occupation or business are adopted.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.