

HOUSE BILL 3892

By Hill

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5, Chapter 14 and Title 8, Chapter 27, relative to group insurance for county employees and officials.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-14-108, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(p) The county may purchase and enter into contracts for group health insurance for county employees and officials without conforming to the competitive bidding requirements of this part.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-403, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(c) The provisions and requirements of the County Purchasing Law of 1957, compiled in title 5, chapter 14, part 1, shall not apply to any county mayor or any delegated committee of the governing body either responsible for presentment or approval of a contract pursuant to this part.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-27-502, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(e) The provisions and requirements of the County Purchasing Law of 1957, compiled in title 5, chapter 14, part 1, shall not apply to any county legislative body or any committee of a county legislative body either responsible for presentment or approval of a contract pursuant to this part.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.