

HOUSE BILL 278

By Dennis

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 47.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 47-18-5002, is amended by deleting the following language:

(3) Promulgate reasonable procedural rules and regulations needed to carry out the provisions of part 1 of this chapter and this section. These rules shall be adopted in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5. Prior to the promulgation of any rule or regulation having the force or effect of law, such rule or regulation must be submitted to the commerce, labor and agricultural committee of the senate and to the commerce committee of the house for their concurrence. Any rule or regulation which is not acted upon by such committees within thirty (30) days after notice of the filing thereof is given to the chairs of the committees shall become effective notwithstanding subsequent action by the committees;

and by substituting instead the following language:

(3) Promulgate reasonable procedural rules necessary to carry out the provisions of part 1 of this chapter and this section. These rules shall be adopted in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5. Any such rule shall be submitted to the chair of the commerce, labor and agricultural committee of the senate and to the chair of the commerce committee of the house of representatives when the rule is filed with the secretary of state.

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