

SENATE BILL 2476

By Beavers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 10; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to Common Core State Standards.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-302, is amended by adding the following language as new, appropriately designated subsections:

() The board and department shall adopt revisions to the subject matter curriculum for English, language arts and mathematics as is necessary to remove alignment with the common core state standards developed by the common core state standards initiative. Beginning July 1, 2014, the board and the department shall not implement any curriculum standards or assessments aligned with the common core state standards.

() The board and department shall take action to initiate a request with the United States department of education, or any other agency of the federal government, to modify any requirement or agreement which conditions the receipt of federal funding on the board or department revising subject matter curriculum to align with the common core state standards.

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