

Amendment No. 1 to HB1883

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1915

House Bill No. 1883*

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-402(16), is amended by adding the following as new subdivisions:

(A) The term "marijuana" does not include oil containing the substance cannabidiol, with less than nine-tenths of one percent (0.9%) of tetrahydrocannabinol, if:

(i) The bottle containing the oil is labeled by the manufacturer as containing cannabidiol in an amount less than nine-tenths of one percent (0.9%) of tetrahydrocannabinol; and

(ii) The person in possession of the oil retains:

(a) Proof of the legal order or recommendation from the issuing state; and

(b) Proof that the person or the person's immediate family member has been diagnosed with intractable seizures or epilepsy by a medical doctor or doctor of osteopathic medicine who is licensed to practice medicine in the state of Tennessee;

(B) The term "marijuana" does not include cannabis oil containing the substance cannabidiol, with less than nine-tenths of one percent (0.9%) of tetrahydrocannabinol, including the necessary seeds and plants, when manufactured, processed, transferred, or possessed by a four-year public or private institution of higher education certified by the drug enforcement administration located in the state as part of a clinical research study on the treatment of intractable seizures, cancer, or other diseases;

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SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 43-26-102(4)(A), is amended by deleting the language "three-tenths of one percent (0.3%)" and substituting instead the language "six-tenths of one percent (0.6%)".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 43-26-102(4)(B), is amended by deleting the subdivision.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.