

HOUSE BILL 1659

By Casada

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,
Chapter 3, Part 18 and Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 1,
relative to recipients of medical assistance.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-5-115, is amended by deleting the section and substituting the following:

Notwithstanding any powers granted to the department under title 4, chapter 3, part 18, the department shall not require or permit responsible parties of a recipient of medical assistance to supplement or reimburse the department for any benefit or benefits rendered to the recipient pursuant to this part.

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