

**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 789**

**SENATE BILL NO. 3867**

**By Kyle, Marrero**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3826

By Cooper, Mike Turner

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502, relative to child care.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502(j), is amended by deleting subdivision (6) in its entirety and by re-numbering subsequent subdivisions accordingly.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502(j)(7), is amended by deleting subdivision (7) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(6) The commissioner and the comptroller may, in their discretion, conduct audits of the records of any child care providers as they may determine are necessary to verify that the expenditures by a child care provider of state or federal child care subsidy funds are being made according to state or federal requirements.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502(j), is amended by deleting subdivision (8)(A) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(A) That is required or necessary to perform any of the provisions of this title or to enforce state or federal law or regulations, or child care subsidy or licensing requirements; or

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: April 5, 2010**



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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



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KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 19th day of April 2010



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PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR