



# State of Tennessee

## PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 166

HOUSE BILL NO. 554

By Representative McDaniel

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 628

By Senators Gresham, Yager

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50, Chapter 7, relative to the "Tennessee Employment Security Law".

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50, Chapter 7, Part 4, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

50-7-407.

(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter to the contrary, if a claimant employed by a reimbursing employer on a continuous part-time basis continues to be employed by the reimbursing employer while separated from other employment and is eligible for benefits, any benefits paid will not be considered attributable to the service with the reimbursing employer.

(b) For the purposes of this section, "reimbursing employer" means an eligible employer who elects to reimburse the state for benefits paid in lieu of premiums, as provided by the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, compiled in 26 U.S.C. 3301 et. seq., or this chapter.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to unemployment benefits accruing on or after the effective date of this act.

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PASSED: April 1, 2013

  
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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2013

  
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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR