



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 980

SENATE BILL NO. 2123

By Southerland

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2423

By Goins, Favors

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 24-9-101; Section 49-2-124; Section 53-10-104; Section 53-10-302; Section 53-11-309; Section 56-32-137; Section 56-7-2408; Section 63-1-109; Section 63-1-301; Section 63-1-313; Section 63-10-204; Section 63-10-217; Section 63-10-505; Section 63-10-506; Title 63, Chapter 29; Section 63-51-102; Section 63-6-244; Section 63-6-802; Title 63, Chapter 7; Section 63-9-121; Section 68-1-128; Section 68-11-224; Section 68-2-601 and Section 71-5-1414, relative to advanced practice registered nurses.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 24-9-101(a)(6), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-124(c), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 53-11-309, is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-109(a)(7), is amended by deleting the language "Advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "Advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-301(1), is amended by deleting the language "Advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "Advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-301(2), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-301(8)(A), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurses" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurses".

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-1-313(a), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-6-244(d), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 10. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-6-802(9), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 11. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-103(a)(2)(D), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 12. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-123(b)(3)(F), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 13. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-126(a), is amended by deleting the language "Advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "Advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 14. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-126(b), is amended by deleting the language "APN" and substituting instead the language "APRN".

SECTION 15. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-126, is further amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 16. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-202(a)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(1) Nine (9) members, one (1) from each congressional district, who are either an advanced practice registered nurse or a registered nurse at the time of their appointment. At least two (2) members shall be registered nurses. At least three (3) members shall be advanced practice registered nurses. For the purposes of this section, an advanced practice registered nurse shall not include registered nurses;

SECTION 17. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-202(f)(4), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 18. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-9-121(d), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 19. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-10-204(42)(C), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 20. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-10-217(d), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurses" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurses" and by deleting the language "APN" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "APRN".

SECTION 21. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-10-505(h)(1)(C), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse,".

SECTION 22. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-10-506, is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse".

SECTION 23. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-1-128, is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered".

SECTION 24. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-5-1414(d)(5)(C), is amended by deleting the language "advanced practice nurse" and substituting instead the language "advanced practice registered nurse,".

SECTION 25. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 14, 2016



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 27th day of April 2016



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR