



# PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 948

## SENATE BILL NO. 1740

# By Dickerson

### Substituted for: House Bill No. 2179

### By Timothy Hill, Cameron Sexton, Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-55-501, relative to the role of physician assistants in the treatment of youth sport-related injuries.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-55-501(3), is amended by deleting the subdivision and by substituting instead the following:

(3) "Health care provider" means a Tennessee licensed medical doctor (M.D.), osteopathic physician (D.O.), clinical neuropsychologist with concussion training, or physician assistant (P.A.) with concussion training who is a member of a health care team supervised by a Tennessee licensed medical doctor or osteopathic physician;

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

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PASSED: April 11, 2016

RON MSEY U SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

**BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER** HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR