



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 167

SENATE BILL NO. 448

By Bell

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1090

By Keisling

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63, Chapter 3, relative to the board of podiatric medical examiners.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-3-209(2)(B), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

A resident continuing such resident's clinical education in a residency accredited by the National Commission on Orthotic and Prosthetic Education; provided, that such person has first registered as a resident with the board; or

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-3-202(a), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

Establish a registration process for residents as prescribed in § 63-3-209(2)(B).

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63, Chapter 3, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

A licensed orthotist or prosthetist may utilize one (1) or more non-licensed persons to assist in:

(1) The performance of minor repairs on devices which have been previously dispensed to patients; and

(2) The performance of other tasks approved by the board of podiatric medical examiners.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 10, 2017



RANDY McNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 24th day of April 2017



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR