



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 344

SENATE BILL NO. 967

By Powers, Crowe, Lowe, Taylor

Substituted for: House Bill No. 662

By Tim Hicks, Lamberth, Hale, Williams, Alexander

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, relative to education.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-207, is amended by deleting subsection (d) and substituting:

(d) An LEA shall maintain on file:

(1) Added or amended policies and make the policies available in each school library operated by the LEA; and

(2) Notice of deleted policies and make such notice available in each school library operated by the LEA or at the LEA's central office.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

(a) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, if a person holds an active industry license or credential relevant to a career and technical education course, as determined by the department of education, then the person may provide instruction to students in the career and technical education course; provided, that the instruction provided by the person is supervised at all times in the classroom by a licensed teacher who serves as the teacher of record for the course.

(b) A person providing instruction to students in a career and technical education course pursuant to subsection (a) is subject to investigation pursuant to § 49-5-413.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 19, 2023


RANDY McNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 5th day of May 2023


BILL LEE, GOVERNOR