Amendment No. 2 to SB0353

<u>Gardenhire</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 353*

House Bill No. 472

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-13-119, is amended by deleting the section and substituting:

- (a) Teachers, as defined in § 8-34-101, and other full-time permanent employees of a public charter school, including a public charter school authorized by the achievement school district or the commission, are eligible to participate in the group insurance plans selected by the governing body of the public charter school. Public charter schools, including public charter schools authorized by the achievement school district or the commission, are entitled to participate in the state group insurance plans selected by the governing body of the public charter school in accordance with § 8-27-303.
- (b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), a public charter school operated or managed by a for-profit entity is not eligible for participation in a state group insurance plan.
 SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.