

HOUSE BILL 1053

By Matlock

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2,
Chapter 19, Part 2, relative to the Little Hatch Act.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-19-201(3), is amended by deleting the following language:

(3) "Public officers and employees" means all employees of the executive branch of the state government, or any department, division, or agency thereof, and all appointed officers and employees of any educational institution, establishment, corporation or agency supported principally by state funds, including teachers. Popularly elected officials, officials elected by the general assembly, qualified candidates for public office, members of the governor's cabinet, and members of the governor's staff are expressly excluded from the provisions of this part, except for the provisions of § 2-19-202; and

and substituting instead the following language:

(3) "Public officers and employees" means all employees of the executive branch of the state government, or any department, division, or agency thereof, and all appointed officers and employees of any educational institution, establishment, corporation, or agency supported principally by state funds, including teachers. Popularly elected officials, officials elected by the general assembly, qualified candidates for public office, members of the governor's cabinet, and members of the governor's staff are expressly excluded from the provisions of this part, except for the provisions of §§ 2-19-202 and 2-19-206(b); and

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019, the public welfare requiring it.