

HOUSE BILL 2671

By Williams

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53,
Chapter 8, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 14, Part 7,
relative to food safety training.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 53-8-203, is amended by deleting subdivision (3) and substituting the following:

(3)

(A) "Demonstration of knowledge" means the ability to demonstrate knowledge of food safety principles as applicable to establishments regulated in accordance with this part;

(B) For the purposes of this part, "demonstration of knowledge" may be accomplished by employing at least one (1) person certified as a food protection manager who has shown proficiency of food protection information through passing a test that is part of a certification program that is evaluated and listed by an accrediting agency recognized by the Conference for Food Protection as conforming to the Conference for Food Protection Standards for Accreditation of Food Protection Manager Certification Programs;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-14-703, is amended by deleting subdivision (4) and substituting the following:

(4)

(A) "Demonstration of knowledge" means the ability to demonstrate knowledge of food safety principles as applicable to establishments regulated in accordance with this part;

(B) For the purposes of this part, "demonstration of knowledge" may be accomplished by employing at least one (1) person certified as a food protection manager who has shown proficiency of food protection information through passing a test that is part of a certification program that is evaluated and listed by an accrediting agency recognized by the Conference for Food Protection as conforming to the Conference for Food Protection Standards for Accreditation of Food Protection Manager Certification Programs;

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.