

SENATE BILL 146

By Lowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37
and Title 49, relative to student attendance.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3009, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

In a complaint or referral made pursuant to this section, a subpoena may be issued for a student's attendance record, including all previous school years that the student attended a public school, in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C. 1232g) and all other relevant privacy laws.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2025, the public welfare requiring it.