

SENATE BILL 426

By Burks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
Chapter 7, relative to tuition discounts.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-119(a), is amended by deleting the last sentence in its entirety, and by adding the following language as a new subsection (b) and redesignating subsequent subsections accordingly:

Any child who is receiving the discount provided for by this section but whose parent dies during the time the child is enrolled and receiving the discount is eligible to continue to receive the discount as provided in this section.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-7-119(a), is amended by designating the existing subsection (a) as subdivision (a)(1) and by adding the following language as a new subdivision (a)(2):

Every child in Tennessee under twenty-four (24) years of age whose parent is a retired teacher who retired after a minimum of thirty (30) years of full-time creditable service in the public schools of this state shall receive a twenty-five (25%) reduction on tuition to any state operated institution of higher learning.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013, the public welfare requiring it.