

SENATE BILL 504

By Tracy

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4 and Title 71, relative to food stamps.

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

SECTION 1. On or before January 31, 2018, the commissioner of human services shall study and report any appropriate recommendations to the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house of representatives concerning options for reducing or prohibiting the purchase of harmful products with no or little nutritional value by recipients of benefits under the supplemental nutrition assistance program using those benefits.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.